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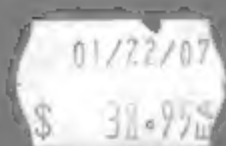
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3

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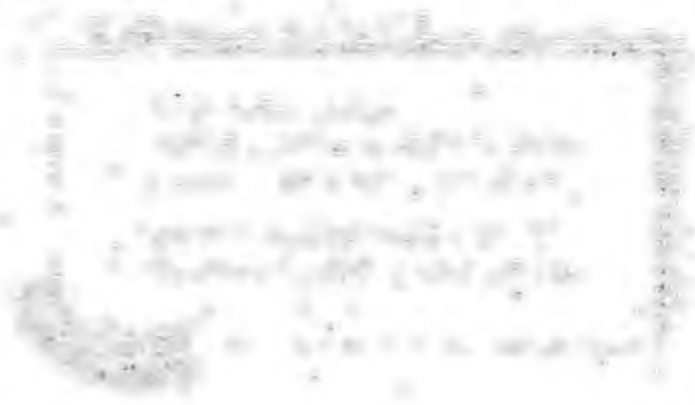




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PREFACE TO THE REVISED 3RD EDITION

The new *Japanese for Busy People* is made up of three volumes: Book I (available in both romanized and *kana* editions), Book II, and Book III. *Japanese for Busy People I* was first published in 1984. It was based on materials used by AJALT teachers with more than ten years of experience teaching Japanese at every level from beginning to advanced.

The series was first revised in 1994, when *Japanese for Busy People II* was divided into two volumes, Book II and Book III. Only a minimum number of modifications were made to Book I at that time. This 3rd Edition, then, constitutes the first major revision of Book I. It involves a wide variety of changes, including the adoption of a unit-based structure, notes about Japanese culture, new and expanded exercises, and updated dialogues. The authors have made every effort to apply the results of the most recent research in Japanese-language education to ensure that learners acquire a clearer understanding of the situations in which Japanese is actually used, and gain increased confidence in their communicative abilities.

It is our fervent hope that this book will inspire people to learn more about Japan and the Japanese language.

Acknowledgments for *Japanese for Busy People I* (1st edition, 1984)

Compilation of this textbook has been a cooperative endeavor, and we deeply appreciate the collective efforts and individual contributions of Mss. Sachiko Adachi, Nori Ando, Haruko Matsui, Shigeko Miyazaki, Sachiko Okaniwa, Terumi Sawada, and Yuriko Yobuko. For English translations and editorial assistance, we wish to thank Ms. Dorothy Britton.

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INTRODUCTION

Aims

This first volume of *Japanese for Busy People, Revised 3rd Edition* has been developed to meet the needs of busy beginning learners seeking an effective method of acquiring a natural command of spoken Japanese in a limited amount of time. The book is suitable for both those studying with a teacher and those studying on their own. In order to minimize the burden on busy learners, the vocabulary and grammar items presented have been narrowed down to about a third of those introduced in a typical first-year course. However, the textbook is set up so that learners can use the material they have learned right away in conversations with speakers of Japanese. In other words, *Japanese for Busy People I* is a textbook for learning “survival Japanese.”

Despite this, *Japanese for Busy People I* does not present simple, childish Japanese. That is, we do not focus on mere grammatical correctness. Instead, we place our emphasis on conversational patterns that actually occur. Thus, by studying with this book, learners will acquire the most essential language patterns for everyday life, and be able to express their intentions in uncomplicated adult-level Japanese. They will also start to build a basis for favorable relations with the people around them by talking about themselves and their surroundings and circumstances, and asking about those of others.

This book is intended for beginners, but it can also provide a firm foundation for more advanced study. Learners can acquire a general idea of the nature of the Japanese language as they study the dialogues and notes in it. For this reason, *Japanese for Busy People I* is suitable as a review text for those who already know a certain amount of Japanese but want to confirm that they are using the language correctly.

Major features of *Japanese for Busy People I, Revised 3rd Edition*

In this newly revised version of *Japanese for Busy People I*, we have made the following modifications to ensure that those studying Japanese for the first time will have an enjoyable and effective learning experience.

Adoption of a unit structure. The content of the thirty lessons that made up the previous editions of *Japanese for Busy People I* has been reedited into eleven units, each consisting of two or three lessons linked by a single theme. The reason for this new design is that we believe learning sociocultural information, linguistic information, and communication strategies in an interrelated way is important for producing natural and appropriate Japanese.

Culture notes. We have placed culture notes at the beginning of each unit. These notes describe Japanese customs and events, as well as features of Japan itself. Here our intention is to get learners interested in the lives and customs of the Japanese people, in order to increase their desire to learn Japanese and deepen their understanding of it. We hope that as readers come into contact with the social and cultural information presented in these notes, they will gain an awareness of cultural diversity and acquire specific mental images of the themes introduced in the units.

Practice. In this section we have drawn on our classroom experience as well as recent thinking in Japanese-language education to reconstruct and revise the exercises to emphasize both language production and comprehension. Recognizing the importance of vocabulary acquisition at the beginning stages, for example, we have added a "Word Power" subsection that presents the major vocabulary that forms the basis for learning in the lesson. Here we have taken great pains with the presentation of the vocabulary, grouping similar items together to make them easier for learners to memorize. In addition, we have stated and highlighted in italics the intention of each exercise so that learners can understand it at a glance. The exercises themselves incorporate drawings, charts, tables, and other illustrations that we hope will make for a stimulating learning experience. Finally, we have added brief listening exercises to each lesson.

Other features. A 70-minute CD containing the Target Dialogues, Word Power sections, listening exercises, and Short Dialogues is attached to the inside back cover of this book. Additional features of this textbook include profiles of the characters who appear in it and an expanded contents page that lets learners see at a glance the goals to be achieved in each unit. We have also added quizzes every few units, so that learners can consolidate their understanding of recently introduced language.





The structure of the unit

A unit is made up of a culture note, a page on grammar, and two or three lessons. The culture notes are designed to stimulate interest in the themes of each unit and help learners construct a mental image of what they are going to learn. The grammar page, appearing right after the culture note, provides simple explanations of the basic grammatical items introduced in the unit. To the extent possible, the explanations here do not cover knowledge or information beyond that which pertains to the usage of the grammatical items in the unit.

The twenty-five lessons in Book I are each composed of the following four elements.

Target Dialogue. The Target Dialogues, which appear at the beginning of each lesson, indicate specifically what kinds of things the learner will be able to talk about after studying the lesson. We have limited these dialogues to practical expressions and grammatical items necessary for everyday conversation. Vocabulary lists, as well as notes that explain particularly difficult expressions, accompany the dialogues.

Practice. The Practice section consists of Word Power, Key Sentences, and Exercises. Word Power introduces basic vocabulary that learners should memorize before moving on to the other exercises. The words in this section are introduced with the aid of illustrations and charts, and all are available on the CD. The Key Sentences demonstrate the grammatical items from the lesson by using them in simple sentences. Finally, the Exercises consist of five different types of practice activities.

- (1)  Exercises that consist of repeating vocabulary or the conjugations of verbs or adjectives.
- (2)  Basic sentence-pattern exercises that aim to help learners comprehend the sentence structures of Japanese and gain an idea of their meanings.
- (3)  Substitution drills and drills in the form of dialogues that lead to conversation practice.
- (4)  Conversation practice created with an awareness of the situations and circumstances in which Japanese is actually used.



Practicing exercise types (1), (2), and (3) allows learners to make a smooth transition to type (4), the conversation practice, and finally to move on to the Target Dialogue

Short Dialogue(s) These are relatively short conversations that demonstrate helpful expressions, ways of getting people's attention, and ways of acknowledging what people have said. Like the Target Dialogues, they are often accompanied by notes that explain points to be aware of when using certain phrases and expressions

Active Communication. This section, coming at the very end of the lesson, presents one or two tasks for which the learners themselves select the vocabulary, grammar, and expressions they need from the material in the lesson and use them in actual situations or classroom-based communication activities.

Using *Japanese for Busy People I*

We recommend the following methods of use, both for those who use *Japanese for Busy People I* as teachers and for self-taught learners. Materials should be adapted flexibly depending on the learner's circumstances, but as a rule it should take about sixty hours to finish *Japanese for Busy People I*. We suggest learners proceed through the lessons as follows, with each lesson taking about two hours.

CULTURE NOTE



This section touches on the social and cultural background of the themes covered in the unit and is meant to expand the learner's awareness of the material to be learned

GRAMMAR



This page is an overview of the grammatical concepts introduced in the unit. One should read it to get an idea of the kinds of grammatical items one will be learning in the unit

LESSON



The Target Dialogue demonstrates what one will be able to say after finishing the lesson. Read the text of the dialogue while listening to the CD, and then scan the text to check the meaning against the English translation. It is important that one not get bogged down in the dialogue at this stage, since one will return to it at the end of the lesson (see below), after completing the Exercises

WORD POWER



This is a warm-up exercise. Learners should listen to the CD and practice pronouncing the words until they have memorized them. English translations of the words appear in a gray box at the bottom of the page

KEY SENTENCES



Learners can gain an understanding of the lesson's grammatical structures by memorizing these useful sentences. New vocabulary items appear in a gray box at the bottom of the page

EXERCISES



Here, learners absorb the lesson's grammatical structures through exercises that ask one to apply them. The exercises usually begin with vocabulary repetition or conjugation practice, then move on to tasks in which one is asked to make up sentences or dialogues and, finally, to full-fledged conversation reenactment. The last exercise, recorded on the CD, is intended to help learners hone their listening skills.

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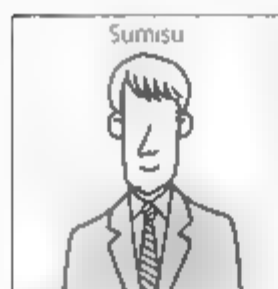
One should thoroughly practice these short dialogues that contain handy, frequently used expressions. If one practices them so thoroughly that they begin to come naturally, one will be able to use them in a variety of situations.

The Target Dialogue is the culmination of one's study of the lesson. After learners have finished the exercises, they should return to the Target Dialogue and practice it.

If the learner is in an environment that allows him or her to perform linguistic tasks, he or she should test himself or herself with the challenges presented here.

Introducing the characters

The following characters feature in this textbook. Since they often appear in the exercises, it is a good idea to remember their names, faces, and relationships.



Mike Smith (32 years old), an American, is an attorney for ABC Foods. He is single.



Alex Chan (31 years old) is from Hong Kong. She works in ABC Foods' sales department. She is single.



Frank Green (56 years old), an American, is the president of the Tokyo branch of ABC Foods. He lives in Tokyo with his wife.



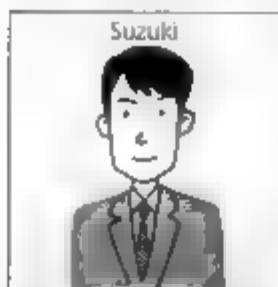
Keiko Sasaki (53 years old), a Japanese, is the division chief of ABC Foods' sales department. She is married.



Akira Kato (46 years old), a Japanese, is the section chief of ABC Foods' sales department. He is married.



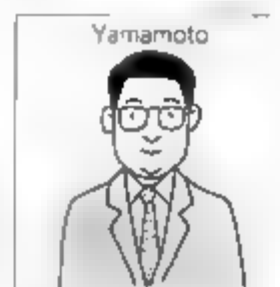
Mayumi Nakamura (26 years old), a Japanese, works as a secretary to Ms. Sasaki. She is single.



Daisuke Suzuki (24 years old), a Japanese, is a member of ABC Foods' sales staff. He is single.



Shingo Takahashi (48 years old), a Japanese, works for Nozomi Department Store, where he is the division chief of the sales department. His wife's name is Junko.



Ichiro Yamamoto (45 years old), a Japanese, is the president of the Kyoto branch of ABC Foods.

In addition to the above, the following people also appear in this book: Hideo Ogawa (male, 49 years old, a friend of Mr. Green), Taro Yamada (male, a banker and a friend of Mr. Smith), and Ayako Matsui (female, the Greens' next-door neighbor).

WRITING AND PRONUNCIATION

There are three writing systems in Japanese:

1. *Kanji*: Chinese characters as used to represent words of both Chinese and native-Japanese origin, most of which have at least two readings.
2. *Hiragana*: A phonetic syllabary. The symbols are curvilinear in style.
3. *Katakana*: Another syllabary used primarily for foreign names and words of foreign origin. The symbols are made up of straight lines.

Written Japanese normally makes use of all three of these systems, as in the following example:

"I am going to Canada." 私 は カナダ に 行 きます。

Watashi wa Kanada ni i kimasu.

kanji

私

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行

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hiragana

katakana

は

カナダ

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Besides these three systems, Japanese is sometimes written in *romaji* (roman letters), particularly for the convenience of foreigners. *Romaji* is generally used in teaching conversational Japanese when time is limited. There are various ways of romanizing Japanese, but in this book we use the modified Hepburn system.

Hiragana, katakana and romaji

The *kana* to the left are *hiragana*, *katakana* are in parentheses.

I. Basic syllables: vowel, consonant plus vowel, and n

c \ v	a	i	u	e	o
k	ka か (カ)	ki き (キ)	ku く (ク)	ke け (ケ)	ko こ (コ)
s	sa さ (サ)	shi し (シ)	su す (ス)	se せ (セ)	so そ (ソ)
t	ta た (タ)	chi ち (チ)	tsu つ (ツ)	te て (テ)	to と (ト)
n	na な (ナ)	ni に (ニ)	nu ぬ (ヌ)	ne ね (ネ)	no の (ノ)
h	ha は (ハ)	hi ひ (ヒ)	fu ふ (フ)	he へ (ヘ)	ho ほ (ホ)
m	ma ま (マ)	mi み (ミ)	mu む (ム)	me め (メ)	mo も (モ)
y	ya や (ヤ)	yi い (イ)	yu ゆ (ユ)	ye え (エ)	yo よ (ヨ)
r	ra ら (ラ)	ri り (リ)	ru る (ル)	re れ (レ)	ro ろ (ロ)
w	wa わ (ワ)	li い (イ)	lu っ (ウ)	le え (エ)	o を (ヲ)
n	— ん (ン)				

NOTE: The syllables *yi*, *ye*, *wi*, *wu*, and *we* do not occur in modern Japanese.

II. Modified syllables: consonant plus basic vowel

g	ga が (ガ)	gi ぎ (ギ)	gu ぐ (グ)	ge げ (ゲ)	go ご (ゴ)
z	za ざ (ザ)	ji じ (ジ)	zu ず (ズ)	ze ぜ (ゼ)	zo ぞ (ゾ)
d	da だ (ダ)	ji ぢ (ヂ)	zu づ (ヅ)	de で (デ)	do ど (ド)
b	ba ば (バ)	bi び (ビ)	bu ぶ (ブ)	be べ (ベ)	bo ぼ (ボ)
p	pa ぱ (パ)	pi ぴ (ピ)	pu ぷ (プ)	pe ぺ (ペ)	po ぽ (ポ)

III. Modified syllables: consonant plus ya, yu, yo

kya きゃ (キヤ)	kyu きゅ (キユ)	kyo きょ (キョ)
sha シャ (シャ)	shu しゅ (シュ)	sho しょ (ショ)
cha ちゃ (チャ)	chu ちゅ (チュ)	cho ちょ (チョ)
nya にゃ (ニヤ)	nyu にゅ (ニユ)	nyo にょ (ニョ)
hya ひゃ (ヒヤ)	hyu ひゅ (ヒユ)	hyo ひょ (ヒョ)
mya みゃ (ミヤ)	myu みゅ (ミユ)	myo みょ (ミョ)
rya りゃ (リヤ)	ryu りゅ (リュ)	ryo りょ (リョ)
gya ぎゃ (ギヤ)	gyu ぎゅ (ギユ)	gyo ぎょ (ギョ)
ja じゃ (ジャ)	ju じゅ (ジュ)	jo じょ (ジョ)
bya びゃ (ビヤ)	byu びゅ (ビユ)	byo びょ (ビョ)
pya ぴゃ (ピヤ)	pyu ぴゅ (ピユ)	pyo ぴょ (ピョ)

IV. Double consonants (See note 6 below.)

kk, pp, ss, tt	っ (ッ)
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V. Long vowels

ā	ああ (アー)
u, ī	いい (イー)
ū	うう (ウー)
ē, ei	ええ、えい (エー)
ō	おう、おお (オー)

Points to note

- The top line of the Japanese syllabary (chart I) consists of the five vowels a, i, u, e, and o. They are short vowels, pronounced clearly and crisply. If you pronounce the vowels in the following English sentence, making them all short, you will have their approximate sounds. The u is pronounced without rounding the lips.

Ah, we soon get old
a i u e o

- 2 Long vowels are written as shown in chart V. Both **ai** and **ei** are used for an elongated **e**, which in Japanese is either ええ or えい. Long vowels are a doubling of a single vowel, so care should be taken to pronounce them as a continuous sound, equal in value to two identical short vowels.
- 3 The rest of the syllabary from the second line down in chart I are syllables formed by a consonant and a vowel.
- 4 Japanese consonants more or less resemble those in English. Listen to the Japanese recorded on the attached C.D. or to a native speaker, for the exact sounds. Especially note the following. **t** in the **ta** row, **f** in the syllable **fu**, and **r** in the **ra** row. The **g** in the syllables **ga**, **gi**, **gu**, **ge**, and **go** at the beginning of a word is hard (like the [g] in *gar-den*), but when it occurs in the middle or last syllable of a word (as in **eiga**, "movie"), it takes on a nasal sound, like the [g] in *thing*. The particle **ga**, too, is usually nasal, although many Japanese today use a [g] sound that is not nasal.
N is the only independent consonant not combined with a vowel. When it is at the end of a word, it is pronounced somewhat nasally. Otherwise it is usually pronounced like the English [n]. But if **n** is followed by syllables beginning with **b**, **m**, or **p**, it is pronounced more like [m] and accordingly spelled with an **m** in this textbook (except for when it appears before a hyphen, e.g., **nan-ban** not **nam-ban**). Special care is necessary when **n** is followed by a vowel, as in the word **kin'en** (**ki-n-en**, "nonsmoking"); note that this is different **n** syllable division from **kinen** (**ki-ne-n**, "anniversary").
- 5 *Hiragana* and *katakana* are phonetic symbols, and each symbol is one syllable in length. The syllables in chart III that consist of two characters—the second written smaller—are also only one syllable in length, although if elongated by the addition of a vowel (**え**, きゃあ **kyā**, きゅう **kyū**, きょう **kyō**) they become two syllables.
- 6 What are written in roman letters as the double consonants **kk**, **pp**, **ss**, and **tt** in chart IV are expressed in *kana* (*hiragana* and *katakana*) with a small っ (っ) in place of the first consonant, i.e., けっこん **kekkon** ("marriage"), きっぷ **kippu** ("ticket"), まっすぐ **massugu** ("straight"), and きって **kitte** ("stamp"). This small っ is one syllable in length, and there is the slightest pause after it is pronounced (as between the **k**'s in *bookkeeping*). In the case of the **chi** syllable, the **tsu** is represented by a **t** in roman letters, i.e., マッチ **matchi** ("match").
- 7 In *hiragana*, the syllables **ji** and **zu** are written じ and ず as a general rule. In a few rare cases they are traditionally written ぢ and づ.
- 8 *Hiragana* follows a tradition in which the following three particles are written a special way:
 - o when used as a particle is written を, not お
 - e when used as a particle is written へ, not え
 - wa when used as a particle is written は, not わ

CHARACTERISTICS OF JAPANESE GRAMMAR

The grammar in this text is derived from a natural analysis of the Japanese language, rather than being an interpretation adapted to the syntax of Western languages. We have given as few technical terms as possible, choosing ones that will make for a smooth transition from the basic level to more advanced study.

The following points are basic and in most cases reflect differences between the grammars of Japanese and English.

1. Japanese nouns have neither gender nor number. But plurals of certain words can be expressed by the use of suffixes.
2. The verb (or the copula **desu**) comes at the end of the sentence or clause.
ex. Watashi wa Nihon-jin desu. "I am a Japanese."
Watashi wa Kyōto ni ikimasu. "I go (or will go) to Kyoto."
3. The gender, number, or person of the subject does not affect the other parts of the sentence.
4. Verb conjugation shows only two tenses, the "present form" and the "past form." Whether use of the "present form" refers to habitual action or the future, and whether the "past form" is equivalent to the English past tense, present perfect or past perfect can usually be determined from the context.
5. Japanese adjectives, unlike English ones, inflect for tense (present and past) and mood (for example, to show whether the word is negative).
6. The grammatical function of nouns is indicated by particles. Their role is similar to English prepositions, but since they always come after the word, they are sometimes referred to as *postpositions*.
ex. Tōkyō de, "at Tokyo"
15-nichi ni, "on the 15th (of the month)"
7. Many degrees of politeness are expressible in Japanese. In this book the style is one that anyone may use without being rude.

NOTE The following abbreviations are used in this book.

<i>aff.</i>	affirmative
<i>neg.</i>	negative
<i>Aa:</i>	answer, affirmative
<i>Arr:</i>	answer, negative
<i>ex.</i>	example
<i>-i adj.</i>	<i>-i</i> adjective
<i>-na adj.</i>	<i>-na</i> adjective

USEFUL DAILY EXPRESSIONS

- 1 おはようございます。 **Ohayō gozaimasu.** "Good morning " Used until about 10 00 a.m.
- 2 こんにちは。 **Konnichiwa.** "Hello " A rather informal greeting used from about 10 00 a.m. until sundown.
- 3こんばんは。 **Kombanwa.** "Good evening."
- 4 おやすみなさい。 **Oyasuminasai.** "Good night " Said at night before going to bed and when parting at night during late hours outside the home
- 5 さようなら。 **Sayōnara.** "Good-bye " On more formal occasions one uses **shitsureishimasu.**
- 6 では／じゃ また。 **Dewa/Ja mata.** "Well then " Said informally when parting from relatives or friends.
- 7 おさきに しつれいします。 **O-sakini shitsureishimasu.** Said when leaving the office or a meeting before other people
- 8 いってらっしゃい。 **Itterasshai.** "So long " (*lit.* "Go and come back ") Said to members of a household as they leave the house. Occasionally it is used at work
9. いってきます。 **Ittekimasu.** "So long." (*lit.* "[I'm] going and coming back ") This expression forms a pair with **itterasshai.** (See 8 above) Occasionally it is used at work. A politer form is **ittemairimasu.**
- 10 ただいま。 **Tadaima.** "I'm back " (*lit.* "[I have returned] just now ") Said by a person on returning home. Occasionally it is used at work
- 11 おかえりなさい。 **Okaerinasai.** "Welcome home " This expression forms a pair with **tadaima.** (See 10 above) Occasionally it is used at work
- 12 いただきます。 **Itadakimasu.** Said before eating a meal
- 13 ごちそうさまでした。 **Gochisōsamadeshita.** Said after eating a meal
- 14 おめでとうございます。 **Omedetō gozaimasu.** "Congratulations."
- 15 どうも ありがとうございます。 **Dōmo arigatō gozaimasu.** "Thank you very much."
- 16 どういたしまして。 **Dō itashimashite.** "You're welcome."
- 17 すみません。 **Sumimasen.** "Excuse me," "I'm sorry "
- 18 ちょっと まってください。 **Chotto matte kudasai.** "Wait just a moment, please "
- 19 もう いちど おねがいします。 **Mō ichi-do onegaishimasu.** "Once more, please "
- 20 どうぞ おさきに。 **Dōzo o-sakini.** "Please, go ahead."
- 21 きをつけて。 **Ki o tsukete.** "Take care," "Be careful."
- 22 おだいじに。 **O-daijini.** "Take care of yourself " Used toward an ill or injured person



UNIT

1

MEETING PEOPLE

In Japan, people bow rather than shake hands, hug, or kiss, when they meet for the first time. A typical bow is performed with both feet together, the hands flat on the thighs (for men) or crossed in front (for women), and the torso inclined at a 15- to 45 degree angle. The eyes remain open during the bow, and the bowing person's line of sight moves with his or her torso rather than staying fixed on the other person. Generally, the deeper and slower the bow, the politer it is. Bowing properly is essential to making a good first impression, so we recommend practicing it until you become comfortable with it.

UNIT 1

GRAMMAR

Identifying People and Things

noun 1 **wa** noun 2 **desu**

ex **Gurei-san wa bengoshi desu.** "Mr. Grey is an attorney."

■ The particle **wa**—the topic marker

Wa ("as for...") follows noun 1, singling it out as the "topic" of the sentence. Noun 2 is then identified, and the phrase is concluded with **desu**. The topic is the person or thing that the sentence is about. The topic is often the same as the subject but not necessarily.

noun 1 **wa** noun 2 **desu ka**

Hai, (noun 1 **wa**) noun 2 **desu**

Iie, (noun 1 **wa**) noun 2 **dewa/ja arimasen**

ex **Gurei-san wa bengoshi desu ka.** "Is Mr. Grey an attorney?"

Hai, bengoshi desu. "Yes, (he) is an attorney."

Iie, bengoshi dewa arimasen. "No, (he) isn't an attorney."

■ The particle **ka**—the question marker

It is easy to make questions in Japanese. Simply place the particle **ka** at the end of the sentence. No change in word order is required even when the question contains interrogatives like "who," "what," "when," etc.

NOTE: Intonation normally rises on **ka**, i.e., ... **desu ka**. ♪

■ **Hai/Iie**

Hai is virtually the same as "yes," and **iie** is virtually the same as "no."

■ Omission of the topic (noun 1)

When it's obvious to the other person what the topic is, it is generally omitted.

ex **(Watashi wa) Gurei desu.** "(As for me) I'm Grey."

But when it's necessary to make clear what the topic is, it is not omitted.

ex **Kochira wa Gurei-san desu.** "This is Mr. Grey."

Often the topic is omitted in answers to questions.

ex **Gurei-san wa bengoshi desu ka.** "Is Mr. Grey an attorney?"

Hai, bengoshi desu. "Yes, (he) is an attorney."

Iie, bengoshi dewa arimasen. "No, (he) isn't an attorney."

■ **Dewa/Ja arimasen**

Dewa arimasen or **ja arimasen** is the negative form of **desu**. **Ja** is more informal than **dewa**, otherwise they are the same. The chart below summarizes the forms of **desu**.

PRESENT FORM		PAST FORM	
<i>aff</i>	<i>neg</i>	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg</i>
desu	dewa arimasen	deshita	dewa arimasendeshita
is	is not	was	was not



TARGET DIALOGUE

Ms. Sasak introduces Mr. Smith to Mr. Takahashi.

ささき たかはしさん、こちらは スミスさんです。

スミスさんは ABCフーズの ベンゴシです。

スミス はじめまして。スミスです。よろしく おねがいします。

たかはし はじめまして。のぞみデパートの たかはしです。

よろしく おねがいします。

Sasaki: Takahashi-san, kochira wa Sumisu-san desu. Sumisu-san wa ABC Fūzu no bengoshi desu.

Sumisu: Hajimemashite. Sumisu desu. Yoroshiku onegaishimasu

Takahashi: Hajimemashite. Nozomi Depāto no Takahashi desu. Yoroshiku onegaishimasu.

Sasak: Mr. Takahashi, this is Mr. Smith. Mr. Smith is an attorney with ABC Foods.

Smith: How do you do. My name is Smith. Pleased to meet you.

Takahashi: How do you do. I'm Takahashi from Nozomi Department Store. Pleased to meet you.

VOCABULARY

～さん

こちら

は

です

ABCフーズ

の

ベンゴシ

はじめまして

よろしく おねがいします

のぞみデパート

デパート

-san

kochira

wa

desu

ABC Fūzu

no

bengoshi

hajimemashite

yoroshiku onegaishimasu

Nozomi Depāto

depāto

Mr., Mrs., Ms., Miss (see Note 1 below)

this one (polite for "this person", see Note 2 below)

(particle that denotes the topic of a sentence)

be

ABC Foods (fictitious company name)

's, of (particle indicating belonging; see Note 4 below)

attorney, lawyer

how do you do

pleased to meet you (see Note 5 below)

Nozomi Department Store (fictitious company name)

department store

NOTES

1. Takahashi-san

-San is a title of respect added to a person's name, so it cannot be used after one's own name. -San may be used with both male and female names, and with either surnames or given names.

2. Kochira wa Sumisu-san desu.

Kochira ("this one") implies "this person here" and is a polite way of saying "this person." It is used when introducing one person to another.

3. (Watashi wa) Sumisu desu.

Especially in conversational Japanese, **watashi** ("I") is hardly ever used. **Anata** ("you") is similarly avoided, especially when addressing superiors, in which case the person's surname followed by **-san** is used.

4. Nozomi Depōto no Takahashi desu.

The particle **no** attaches to nouns, and the noun-**no** combination modifies the word that comes after it. **No** expresses belonging or affiliation. Here it shows that Mr. Takahashi belongs to, in the sense that he works for, Nozomi Department Store. Japanese customarily give their company name and position when being introduced.

5. Yoroshiku onegaishimasu.

A phrase used when being introduced, **yoroshiku onegaishimasu** is usually combined with **hajime-mashite**. It is also used when taking one's leave after having asked a favor. **Yoroshiku** means "well" and is a request for the other person's favorable consideration in the future.

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



Countries and nationalities



1 Nihon

2 Chūgoku

3 Doitsu

4 Igirisu

5 Amerika

6 Ōsutoraria

7 Tai

8. Nihon-jin

9 Chūgoku-jin

10 Doitsu-jin

11 Igirisu-jin

12 Amerika-jin

13 Ōsutoraria-jin

14 Tai-jin

VOCABULARY

Nihon Japan

Chūgoku China

Doitsu Germany

Igirisu England, the United Kingdom

Amerika the United States

Ōsutoraria Australia

Tai Thailand

-jin -ese, -ian (person from)

II Occupations



1 bengoshi



2 hisho



3 gakusei



4 enjinia

KEY SENTENCES

1. (Watashi wa) Sumisu desu.
2. Sumisu-san wa ABC Fûzu no bengoshi desu.
3. Kochira wa Nozomi Depôto no Takahashi-san desu.

- 1 I am Smith
- 2 Mr. Smith is an attorney with ABC Foods
- 3 This is Mr. Takahashi from Nozomi Department Store

EXERCISES



Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses.



Mr. Smith,
attorney



Ms. Hoffman,
eng neer



Ms. Brown,
secretary



Ms. Lin,
student



Mr. Takahashi

A State someone's nationality.

ex Sumisu-san wa Amerika-jin desu.

- 1 _____ (Hofuman-san, Dortsu-jin)
- 2 _____ (Buraun-san, Igrisu-jin)
- 3 _____ (Rin-san, Chûgoku-jin)
- 4 _____ (Takahashi-san, Nihon-jin)

VOCABULARY

bengoshi
hisho
gakusei
enjinia

attorney, lawyer
secretary
student
engineer

Hofuman
Buraun
Rin

Hoffman (surname)
Brown (surname)
Lin (surname)

B State someone's occupation.

ex **Sumisu-san wa bengoshi desu.**

- 1 A: 先生は先生ですか。 (Hofuman-san, enjinia)
B: いいえ、先生ではありません。 (Buraun-san, hisho)
- 2 A: 先生は先生ですか。 (Rin-san, gakusei)



II Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses

A. Ask and answer what someone's nationality is.

ex **A: Sumisu-san wa Amerika-jin desu ka.**

B: Hai, Amerika-jin desu.

- 1 A: 先生は先生ですか。 (Hofuman-san, Doitsu-jin)
B: はい、先生です。 (Doitsu-jin)
- 2 A: 先生は先生ですか。 (Buraun-san, Igrisu-jin)
B: はい、先生です。 (Igrisu-jin)
- 3 A: 先生は先生ですか。 (Rin-san, Chūgoku-jin)
B: はい、先生です。 (Chūgoku-jin)
- 4 A: 先生は先生ですか。 (Takahashi-san, Nihon-jin)
B: はい、先生です。 (Nihon-jin)

B. Ask and answer what someone's occupation is.

ex **A: Sumisu-san wa enjinia desu ka.**

B: Iie, bengoshi desu.

- 1 A: 先生は先生ですか。 (Buraun-san)
B: はい、先生です。 (hischo)
- 2 A: 先生は先生ですか。 (Rin-san)
B: はい、先生です。 (gakusei)

C Ask and answer whether someone is of one nationality/occupation or another.

ex **A: Sumisu-san wa Amerika-jin desu ka, Igrisu-jin desu ka.**

B: Amerika-jin desu.

- 1 A: 先生は先生ですか。 (Takahashi-san, Nihon-jin, Chūgoku-jin)
B: はい、先生です。 (Nihon-jin)

ka	(particle that denotes question)
hai	yes
iie	no

2. A. _____ (Buraun-san, Igirisu-jin, Dortsu-jin)
 B. _____ (Igrisu-jin)
 3. A. _____ (Hofuman-san, enjinia, bengoshi)
 B. _____ (enginia)



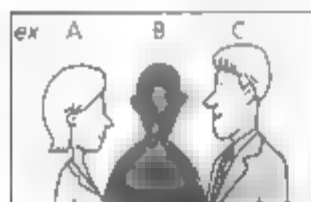
I **Respond to a self-introduction.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example, assuming the roles indicated in parentheses

ex **Sumisu.** Hajimemashite. ABC Fūzu no Sumisu desu. Yoroshiku onegaishimasu.
anata: Hajimemashite. Berurin Mōtāzu no Hofuman desu. Yoroshiku onegaishimasu.

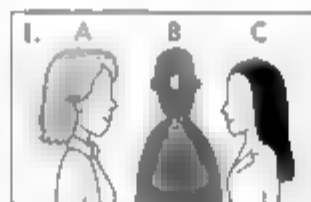
- 1 Sumisu.
 anata: _____ (Rondon Ginkō, Buraun)
 2 Sumisu
 anata: _____ (Nozomi Depāto, Takahashi)



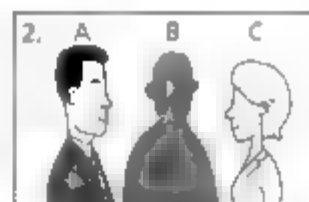
V **Introduce people** Look at the illustrations and pretend you are B. Introduce A and C to each other, as in the example



A. Berurin Mōtāzu,
 Hofuman-san
 C. ABC Fūzu, Sumisu-san



A: Rondon Ginkō,
 Buraun-san
 C. Tōkyō Daigaku, Rin-san



A. Nozomi Depāto,
 Takahashi-san
 C. Berurin Mōtāzu, Hofuman-san

ex **B: Kochira wa Berurin Mōtāzu no Hofuman-san desu. Kochira wa ABC Fūzu no Sumisu-san desu.**

- 1 B
 2 B



V **Listen to the CD and fill in the blank based on the information you hear**

Sumisu-san wa _____ desu.



At the reception desk of a company

Sumisu: ABC Fūzu no Sumisu desu. Takahashi-san o onegaishimasu.

uketsuke: Hai.

Smith: I'm Smith from ABC Foods. (I'd like to see) Mr. Takahashi, please

receptionist: All right

VOCABULARY

o	(particle, see Note 1 below)
onegaishimasu	please (get me . . .)
uketsuke	reception desk, receptionist

II The buzzer on a home security intercom system sounds

Chan: Hai. Donata desu ka.

Nakamura: Nakamura desu.

Chan: Hai, dōzo.

Chan: Yes? Who is it?

Nakamura: It's Nakamura.

Chan: All right. Please (come in)

VOCABULARY

donata	who
hai, dōzo	please go ahead, please feel free

NOTES

1. Takahashi-san o onegaishimasu.

Use "(person) o onegaishimasu" when asking a receptionist to summon somebody you want to see. **Onegaishimasu** is a very convenient phrase often used in making polite requests.

2. Donata

The basic word for "who" is **dare**, but **donata** is more polite

3. Hai, dōzo.

This expression is used when granting a visitor permission to enter a room or an office. It can also be used when handing over something that another person has asked for

Active Communication

1. Introduce yourself to a classmate. Then introduce two classmates to each other
2. If you're in Japan, try introducing yourself to a Japanese person. State who you are and what your occupation is



TARGET DIALOGUE

TIME
5

Mr. Takahashi gives Mr. Smith his business card. Mr. Smith cannot read kanji.

たかはし：わたしの めいしです。どうぞ。

スミス どうも ありがとうございます。(flipping over Takahashi's business card to examine the other side) これは たかはしさんの なまえですか。

たかはし：ええ、そうです。たかはし しんごです。

スミス：これは？

たかはし：かいしゃの なまえです。のぞみデパートです。

Takahashi: *Watashi no meishi desu. Dôzo.*

Sumisu: *Dômo arigatô gozaimasu.* (flipping over Takahashi's business card to examine the other side) *Kore wa Takahashi-san no namae desu ka.*

Takahashi: *Ee, sô desu. Takahashi Shingo desu.*

Sumisu: *Kore wa?*

Takahashi: *Kaisha no namae desu. Nozomi Depâtô desu.*

Takahashi: This is my business card. Here.

Smith: Thank you very much. Is this your name?

Takahashi: Yes, that's right. It's Shingo Takahashi.

Smith: What about this?

Takahashi: It's the name of (my) company. It's "Nozomi Department Store."

わたしの

めいし

どうぞ

どうも ありがとうございます

これ

なまえ

ええ

そうです

これは？

かいしゃ

watashi no

meishi

dôzo

dômo arigatô gozaimasu

kore

namae

ee

sô desu

kore wa?

kaisha

my

business card

please; if you please

thank you very much

this one

name

yes (less formal than hai)

that's right

what about this?

company, the office

NOTES

1. (Kore wa) watashi no meishi desu.

Watashi no meishi means "my business card." The particle **no** here expresses possession.

2. Dômo arigatô gozaimasu.

This is an expression of gratitude. There are several levels of politeness in Japanese, and **dômo arigatô gozaimasu** is an example of the most polite level. More casual are, in descending order of politeness, **arigatô gozaimasu**, **domo arigatô**, and **arigatô**.

3. Kore wa Takahashi-san no namae desu ka.

Note that although addressing Mr. Takahashi, Mr. Smith uses his name rather than saying **anata no**, "your." (See Note 3, p. 3.)

4. Sô desu.

When replying to questions that end with **desu ka**, **sô** can be used instead of repeating the noun.

5. Kore wa?

A rising intonation on the particle **wa** makes this informal phrase a question without using the question marker **ka**.

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



I. Numbers

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zero/rei	ichi	ni	san	yon/shi	go	roku	nana/shichi	hachi	kyû/ku

II. Business vocabulary

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1. meishi

4. denwa-bangô

2. namae

5. mēru-adoresu

3. jûsho

*The area code for Tokyo is 03. When saying a phone number aloud, put **no** between the area code (e.g., 03) and the exchange, and between the exchange and the last four numbers. The phone number here is pronounced **zero-san no san-yan-go-kyû no kyu-roku-ni-zero**.

NOTE: The 0 used in telephone numbers is pronounced **zero** instead of **rei**.

VOCABULARY

meishi

business card

denwa-bangô

telephone number

namae

name

denwa

telephone

jûsho

address

bangô

number

mēru-adoresu

e-mail address



- 1 keitai 2 kasa 3 hon 4 shimbun 5 kagi 6 tokei

KEY SENTENCES

1. Kore wa meishi desu.
2. Kore wa meishi dewa arimasen.
3. Kore wa Sasaki-san no kasa desu.
4. Takahashi-san no denwa-bangō wa 03-3459-9620 desu.

- 1 This is a business card
- 2 This is not a business card
- 3 This is Ms. Sasaki's umbrella
- 4 Mr. Takahashi's telephone number is 03-3459-9620

VOCABULARY

keitai

cell/mobile phone

kagi

key

kasa

umbrella

tokei

watch, clock

hon

book

dewa arimasen

is/are not

shimbun

newspaper

EXERCISES



Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses.

A. State what an object is.

ex **Kore wa hon desu.**

1. _____ (kagi)

2. _____ (tokei)

B. State what an object is not.

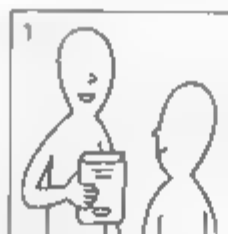
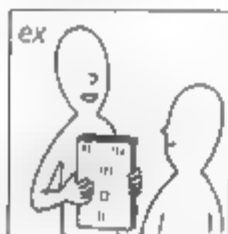
ex **Kore wa hon dewa arimasen.**

1. _____ (kagi)

2. _____ (tokei)



II Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples and based on the information in the illustrations



A. Ask and answer whether an object is what it appears to be.

ex **A: Kore wa shimbun desu ka.**

B: Hai, shimbun desu.

1 A.

B

2 A.

B

3 A

B

B. Negate the identity of an object.

ex **A: Kore wa hon desu ka.**

B: Iie, hon dewa arimasen.

1 A. Kore wa kasa desu ka

B

2 A. Kore wa tokei desu ka.

B

3 A. Kore wa kagi desu ka.

B



III **Ask and answer what an object is.** Look at the illustrations and make up dialogues following the pattern of the example



ex A: Kore wa nan desu ka.

B: Shimbun desu.



1 A

B



2 A

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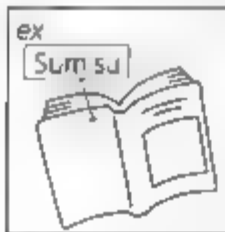


3 A

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IV **State who the owner of an object is.** Make up sentences following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustrations.



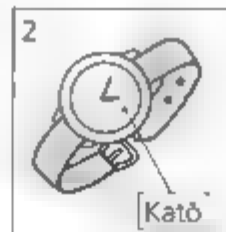
ex. Kore wa Sumisu-san no hon desu.



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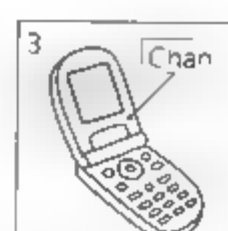
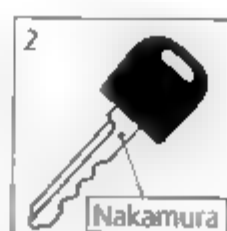
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V Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples and based on the information in the illustrations.



A Ask and answer whether an object belongs to someone.

ex A: Kore wa Sasaki-san no kasa desu ka.

B: Hai, Sasaki-san no desu.

1 A

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2 A

B

3 A

B

B Deny that an object belongs to someone.

ex A: Kore wa Nakamura-san no kasa desu ka.

B: Iie, Nakamura-san no dewa arimasen.

1 A: Kore wa Sasaki-san no hon desu ka

B

2 A: Kore wa Chan-san no kagi desu ka

B

3 A: Kore wa Sumisu-san no keitai desu ka.

B

C Ask and answer who an object's owner is.

ex A: Kore wa dare no kasa desu ka.

B: Sasaki-san no desu.

1 A

B

2 A

B

3 A

B



VI. Use the information in the table to make up sentences or dialogues as in the examples

	NAME	TELEPHONE NUMBER
ex.	Sumisu	03-3459-9660
1	Sasaki	03-3298-7748
2	taishikan	03-3225-1116
3	ginkō	03-5690-3111
4	Takahashi	03-3459-9620

A. State someone's phone number.

ex. Sumisu-san no denwa-bangō wa zero-san no san-yon-go-kyū no kyū-roku-roku-zero desu.

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B. Ask for and provide someone's phone number.

ex. A: Sumisu-san no denwa-bangō wa nan-ban desu ka.

B: Zero-san no san-yon-go-kyū no kyū-roku-roku-zero desu.

1 A.

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2 A.

B

3 A. _____

B. _____

4 A. _____

B. _____



VII *Talk about who an object's owner is.* Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses.

ex Ms. Nakamura is cleaning up the meeting room after a meeting. Mr. Smith comes into the room.

Sumisu: Kore wa Nakamura-san no hon desu ka.

Nakamura: (looking at the book) Iie, watashi no dewa arimasen.

Sumisu: Dare no hon desu ka.

Nakamura: Chan-san no desu.

1 **Sumisu:** _____ (kasa)

Nakamura: _____

Sumisu: _____ (kasa)

Nakamura: _____

2 **Sumisu:** _____ (kagi)

Nakamura: _____

Sumisu: _____ (kagi)

Nakamura: _____

3 **Sumisu:** _____ (kintai)

Nakamura: _____

Sumisu: _____ (kintai)

Nakamura: _____



VII Listen to the CD and fill in the blank based on the information you hear.

Sumisu-san no denwa-bangô wa _____ desu.



1 After Mr. Takahashi leaves the room, Mr. Smith finds a date book on the sofa

Sumisu: Kore wa Nakamura-san no techō desu ka.

Nakamura: Iie, watashi no dewa arimasen.

Sumisu: Dare no desu ka.

Ms. Nakamura notices the name "Takahashi" on the date book, so she runs after him

Nakamura: Kore wa Takahashi-san no techō desu ka.

Takahashi: Ee, sō desu. Dōmo arigatō gozaimasu.

Smith: Ms. Nakamura, is this your date book?

Nakamura: No, it's not mine

Smith: Whose is it?

Nakamura: Is this your date book, Mr. Takahashi?

Takahashi: Yes, it is. Thank you very much

VOCABULARY

techō date book, small notebook, planner

Ms. Chan meets Mrs. Matsui at a party and asks her for her telephone number

Chan: Matsui-san no denwa-bangō wa nan-ban desu ka.

Matsui: 03-3459-9630 desu. Keitai wa 090-1234-5678 desu.

Chan: Sumimasen. Mō ichi-do onegaishimasu.

Chan: What is your phone number, Mrs. Matsui?

Matsui: It's 03-3459-9630. My mobile phone number is 090-1234-5678

Chan: I'm sorry, could you repeat that?

VOCABULARY

sumimasen	I'm sorry
mō ichi-do onegaishimasu	one more time, please
mō ichi-do	one more time
mō	more
ichi-do	one time

Active Communication

- 1 Ask the people around you what their phone numbers are and make a list
- 2 If you're in Japan, ask an employee of a restaurant or store what the establishment's phone number is

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1. The National Office for the name "Kashmir" is not a name of a country or a region.

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1. The first step is to identify the problem or issue that needs to be addressed. This involves gathering information and understanding the context of the problem.



UNIT

2

SHOPPING

Japan is a shopper's paradise. From large and lavish department stores to small, hole-in-the-wall establishments in shopping arcades, the country abounds with shops. For the most part, price labels are attached to goods, although sometimes when the prices are not given or are written in *kanji* it is necessary to ask how much an item costs. Salesclerks are generally polite and helpful, upon entering a store or restaurant, a customer will almost always be greeted. The greeting is *irasshaimase!*

UNIT 2 GRAMMAR

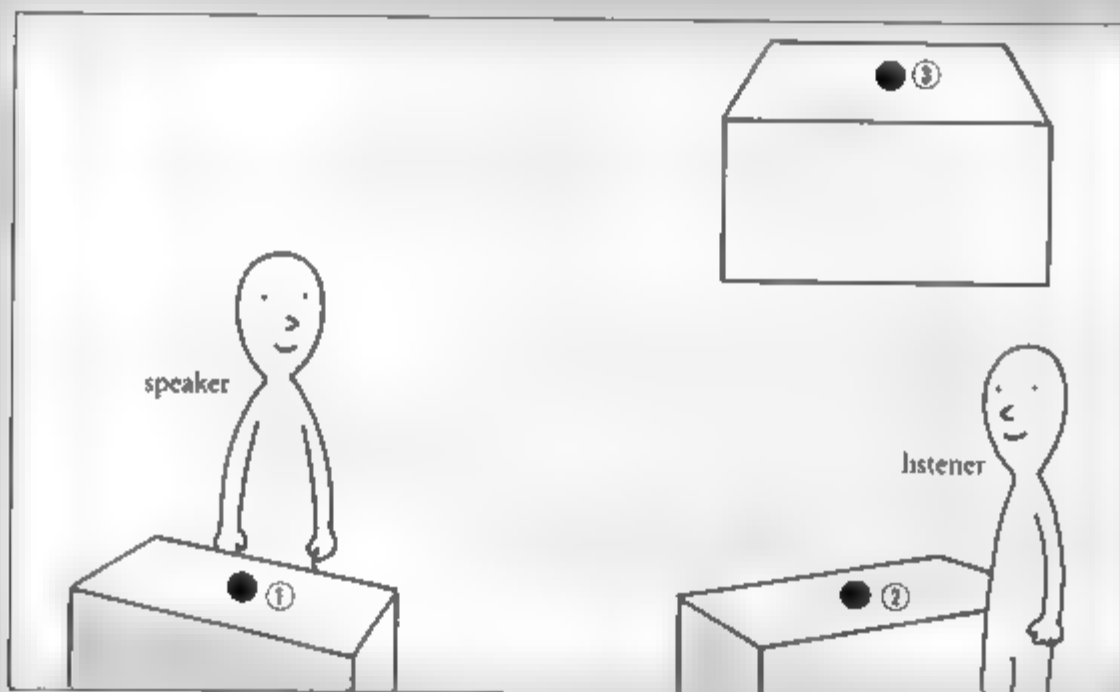
Pronouns and Noun Modifiers

kore/sore/are wa noun desu

ex. **Kore wa hon desu.** "This is a book."

■ Kore/Sore/Are

Whereas English has only "this" and "that," Japanese has three separate demonstrative pronouns **kore**, **sore**, and **are**. **Kore** (see ① below) indicates something near the speaker, **sore** (see ② below) something near the listener, and **are** (see ③ below) something not near either person.



kono/sono/ano noun 1 wa noun 2 desu

ex. **Kono hon wa watashi no desu.** "This book is mine."

■ Kono/Sono/Ano

Kono, **sono**, and **ano** have similar meanings to **kore**, **sore**, and **are**, but they modify nouns.



TARGET DIALOGUE

Mr. Smith goes to the department store, but it isn't open yet

スミス：すみません、いま なんじですか。

おんなの ひと：９じ５０ぶんです。

スミス：デパートは なんじからですか。

おんなの ひと：１０じからです。

スミス：なんじまでですか。

おんなの ひと：ごご ８じまでです。

スミス：ありがとうございます。

おんなの ひと：どういたしまして。

■ デパートは １０じから ８じまでです。

Sumisu: Sumimasen, ima nan-ji desu ka.

onna no hito: Ku-ji gojuppun desu.

Sumisu: Depâto wa nan-ji kara desu ka.

onna no hito: Jû-ji kara desu.

Sumisu: Nan-ji made desu ka.

onna no hito: Gogo hachi-ji made desu.

Sumisu: Arigatô gozaimasu.

onna no hito: Dô itashimashite.

■ Depâto wa jû-ji kara hachi-ji made desu.

Smith: Excuse me. What time is it?

woman: It's 9:50

Smith: What time does the department store open?

woman: It opens at 10:00

Smith: Until what time is it open?

woman: It's open till 8:00 p.m.

Smith: Thank you.

woman: You're welcome

■ The department store is open from 10:00 to 8:00

なんじ	nan-ji	what time
～じ	-ji	o'clock (counter)
おんなの ひと	onna no hito	woman
おんな	onna	female, woman
ひと	hito	person
9じ	ku-ji	nine o'clock
50ぶん	gojuppun/gojippun	fifty minutes
50	gojō	fifty
～ぶん / ぶん	-fun/-pun	minute
から	kara	from (particle)
10じ	jū-ji	ten o'clock
まで	made	until (particle)
ごご	gogo	p.m., in the afternoon
8じ	hachi-ji	eight o'clock
どういたしまして	dō itashimashite	you're welcome / don't mention it

NOTES

1. (Depāto wa) jū-ji kara desu./ (Depāto wa) gogo hachi-ji made desu.

When stating the hours that a business is open, use the “noun 1 **wa** noun 2 **desu**” pattern. However, if the topic of the sentence is clear from the context, it may be omitted, as it has been here. (See “Omission of the topic (noun 1)” in Unit 1 Grammar, p. 2.) The time the business opens is followed by **kara**, and the time that it closes is followed by **made**.

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



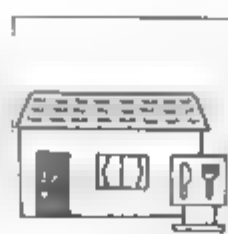
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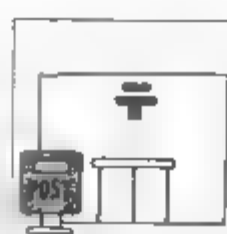
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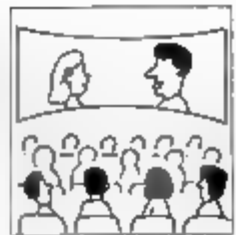
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9. pāti



10. eiga

II Numbers.

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12 jūni	22 nijūni	50 gojū	
13 jūsan	23 nijūsan	60 rokjū	
14 jūyon/jūshi	24 nijūyon/nijūshi	70 nanajū	
15 jūgo	25 nijūgo	80 hachijū	
16 jūroku	26 nijūroku	90 kyūjū	
17 jūnana/ jūshichi	27 nijūnana/ nijūshichi		
18 jūhachi	28 nijūhachi		
19 jūku/jūkyū	29 nijūku/nijūkyū		

III. Times

1 00 ichi-ji	3 05 san-ji go-fun	3:10 san-ji juppun
2 00 ni-ji	3:15 san-ji jūgo-fun	3:20 san-ji nijuppun
3 00 san-ji	3 25 san-ji nijūgo-fun	3:30 san-ji sanjuppun/san-ji han
4 00 yo-ji	3 35 san-ji sanjūgo-fun	3:40 san-ji yonjuppun
5 00 go-ji	3 45 san-ji yonjūgo-fun	3:50 san-ji gojuppun
6 00 roku-ji	3 55 san-ji gojūgo-fun	
7 00 shichi-ji		
8 00 hachi-ji		4:00 a.m. gozen yo-ji
9 00 ku-ji		9:00 p.m. gogo ku-ji
10 00 jū-ji		
11 00 jūichi-ji		
12 00 jūni-ji		

NOTE: Hours and minutes are romanized here, but throughout the rest of the book they are spelled with numerals, e.g., 1-ji for "1 00," 10-ji 20-pun for "10:20," etc.

VOCABULARY

shigoto
kaigi
hiru-yasumi
hiru
yasumi

work job
meeting conference
lunch break
afternoon
break rest

pāti
eiga
han
gozen

party
movie
half past (of time)
a.m., in the morning

KEY SENTENCES







1. Ima 3-ji desu.
2. Shigoto wa 9-ji kara 5-ji made desu.

- 1 It's 3:00
- 2 Work is from 9:00 to 5:00

EXERCISES



I *State the time.* Practice telling the times indicated below

ex 	1 	2 	3 	4 	5 
ex. 3-ji	1	2	3	4	5



II *Ask and give the time* Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined word with the times indicated in exercise I.

ex. A: Ima nan-ji desu ka.
B: 3-ji desu.

1 A

B

2 A

B

3 A

B

4 A

B

5 A

B



I. Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined word(s) with the alternatives given.

A. State a department store's opening time.

ex. Depāto wa 10-ji kara desu.

1. _____ (9:00)

2. _____ (11:00)

B. State what time work will finish.

ex. Shigoto wa 5-ji made desu.

1. _____ (7:00)

2. _____ (6:30)

C. State what work hours are, from what time until what time.

ex. Shigoto wa 9-ji kara 5-ji made desu.

1. _____ (9:30, 6:00)

2. _____ (10:00, 7:00)



IV. Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given.

A. Ask and answer what time a business will open.

ex. A: Ginkō wa nan-ji kara desu ka.

B: 9-ji kara desu.

1. A: _____ (sūpā)

B: _____ (11:00)

2. A: _____ (yūbinkyoku)

B: _____ (9:00)

B. Ask and answer what time something will end or close.

ex. A: Pāti wa nan-ji made desu ka.

B: Gogo 9-ji made desu.

1. A: _____ (resutoran)

B: _____ (gogo 11:30)

2. A: _____ (kaigi)

B: _____ (10:30)

C Ask and answer what an event's hours are.

ex. A: Kaigi wa nan-ji kara nan-ji made desu ka.

B: 1-ji kara 3-ji made desu.

- 1 A. (hiru-yasumi)
B. (12.30, 1.30)
2 A. (eiga)
B. (4.15, 6.30)



V Find out when a service will begin or when a facility will open. Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given.

ex. Mr. Smith is at a resort hotel. He asks the front desk when meals are served and when the hotel's facilities open.

Sumisu: Sumimasen Asa-gohan wa nan-ji kara desu ka.

furonto: 7-ji kara desu.

Sumisu: Dômo arigatô.

1 Sumisu: (ban-gohan)

furonto: (6:00)

Sumisu

2 Sumisu: (pûru)

furonto: (8:00 a.m.)

Sumisu

3 Sumisu: (jimu)

furonto: (9:00 a.m.)

Sumisu



VI Listen to the CD and fill in the blank based on the information you hear.

jimu wa _____ kara desu

asa-gohan breakfast
asa morning
gohan meal

furonto the front desk (of a hotel)
dômo arigatô thank you
ban-gohan dinner
ban evening

pûru pool
jimu gym



Ms. Sasak wants to call the London branch of her company

Sasaki: Nakamura-san, ima nan-ji desu ka.

Nakamura: 4-ji han desu.

Sasaki: Rondon wa ima nan-ji desu ka.

Nakamura: Gozen 8-ji han desu.

Sasaki: Sô desu ka. Dômo arigatô.

Sasaki: Ms. Nakamura, what time is it?

Nakamura: It's 4:30.

Sasaki: What time is it in London?

Nakamura: It's 8:30 in the morning

Sasaki: Is that so? Thank you very much.



sô desu ka

I see

NOTES

1. Sô desu ka.

This expression, meaning "I see" or "is that so?" is used as a comment on what someone else has said. It is spoken with falling intonation

Active Communication

- 1 Ask someone for the time
2. If you're in Japan, try asking for the business hours of a restaurant or other facilities you are interested in



TARGET DIALOGUE

TALK 13

Mr. Smith is shopping in a department store

みせの ひと：いらっしゃいませ。

スミス：(pointing) それを みせてください。

みせの ひと：はい、どうぞ。

スミス：ありがとうございます。これは いくらですか。

みせの ひと：3,000 えんです。

スミス：(pointing) それは いくらですか。

みせの ひと：これも 3,000 えんです。

スミス：じゃ、それを ください。

みせの ひと：はい、ありがとうございます。

mise no hito: Irasshaimase.

Sumisu: (pointing) Sore o misete kudasai.

mise no hito: Hai, dōzo.

Sumisu: Arigatō. Kore wa ikura desu ka.

mise no hito: Sanzen-en desu.

Sumisu: (pointing) Sore wa ikura desu ka.

mise no hito: Kore mo sanzen-en desu.

Sumisu: Ja, sore o kudasai.

mise no hito: Hai, arigatō gozaimasu.

salesperson: May I help you?

Smith: Please show me that one

salesperson: Yes, here it is

Smith: Thank you. How much is this?

salesperson: It's 3,000 yen

Smith: How much is that one?

salesperson: This is also 3,000 yen

Smith: I'll take that one, then

salesperson: All right. Thank you

VOCABULARY

みせ

いらっしゃいませ

それ

みせてください

いくら

mise

irasshaimase

sore

misete kudasai

ikura

shop, store, restaurant

may I help you?, welcome

that one

please show me

how much

3,000えん	sanzen-en	3,000 yen
～えん	-en	yen
も	mo	also, too, either (particle)
じゃ	ja	well then
ください	kudasai	please give me

NOTES

1. Sore o misete kudasai.

When you want to take a closer look at an item in a store, use “(something) **o misete kudasai**” (“please show me . . .”).

2. Sanzen-en

The system of counting large numbers is different in Japanese and English. The chart below shows how to count from a thousand to a trillion.

1,000	sen
10,000	ichi-man
100,000	jū-man
1,000,000	hyaku-man
10,000,000	sen-man
100,000,000	ichi-oku
1,000,000,000	jū-oku
10,000,000,000	hyaku-oku
100,000,000,000	sen-oku
1,000,000,000,000	it-chō

chō oku man

2,222,222,222,222

nichō nisen nihyaku nijūni-oku nisen nihyaku nijūni-man nisen nihyaku nijūni

Decimals. (The word for “decimal point” is ten.)

0	rei
0.7	rei ten nana
0.29	rei ten ni kyū
0.538	rei ten go san hachi

Fractions. (Bun means “part.”)

1/2	ni-bun no ichi	2/3	san-bun no ni
1/4	yon-bun no ichi		

3. Kore mo sanzen-en desu.

The particle **mo** means “too,” “also,” “either,” etc. It is used in both affirmative and negative sentences.

ex. **Sore wa sanzen-en desu. Kore mo sanzen-en desu.**

“That one is 3,000 yen. This one is 3,000 yen, too.”

Kore wa watashi no kasa dewa arimasen. Sore mo watashi no dewa arimasen.

“This is not my umbrella. That’s not mine either.”

4. Ja, kore o kudasai.

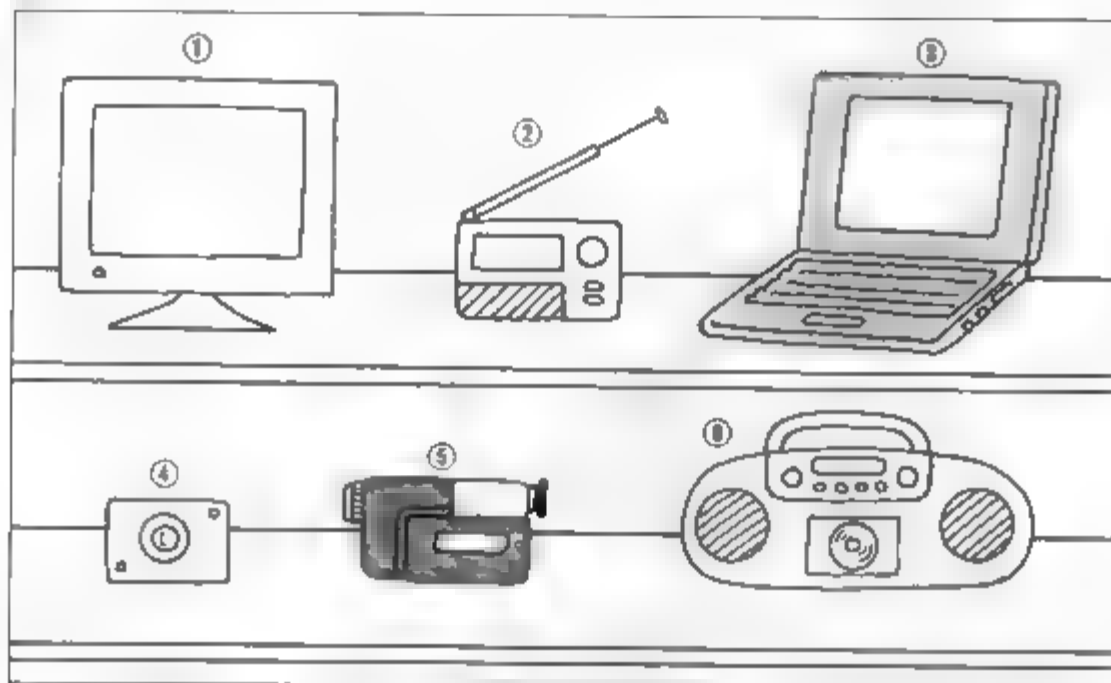
Ja and **dewa** correspond to “well” or “well then,” interjections that express conclusion or resignation.

Kore o kudasai means “I’ll take this one” and is the phrase to use when you have decided what you want to buy.

WORD POWER



I Electronic appliances



1 terebi 2 rajio 3 pasokon 4 dejikame 5 bideo-kamera 6 CD-purēyā

II Numbers

100	hyaku	1 000	sen	10 000	ichiman
200	nihyaku	2,000	nisen	20 000	nīman
300	sambyaku	3,000	sanzen	30,000	samman
400	yonhyaku	4,000	yonsen	40,000	yomman
500	gohyaku	5,000	gosen	50,000	goman
600	roppyaku	6,000	rokusen	60,000	rokuman
700	nanahyaku	7,000	nanasen	70 000	nanaman
800	happyaku	8,000	hassen	80,000	hachiman
900	kyūhyaku	9,000	kyūsen	90,000	kyūman

intermediate numbers are made by combining the numbers composing them

ex 135 hyaku-sanjū-go 1,829 sen-happyaku-nijukyū

NOTE Large numbers are spelled out here in romanized Japanese but throughout the rest of the book, numerals are used to write them, e.g. 3,000-en for "3,000 yen"

III. Japanese currency



1 1-en



2 5-en



3 10-en



4 50-en



5 100-en



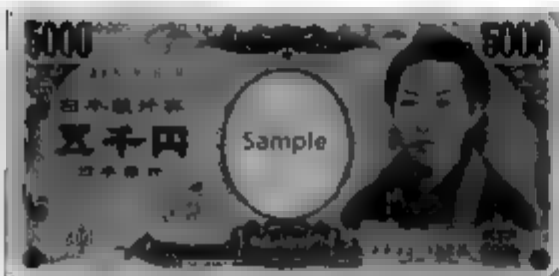
6 500-en



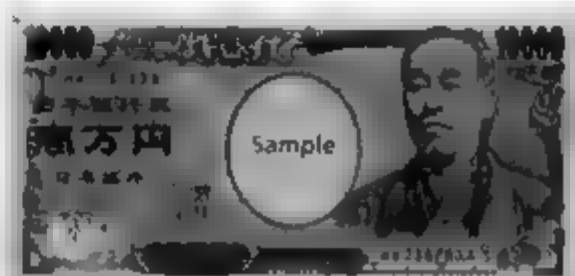
7 1,000-en



8 2,000-en



9 5,000-en



10 10,000-en

KEY SENTENCES

1. Sore wa terebi desu.
2. Are wa pasokon desu.
3. Kore wa 3,000-en desu. Are mo 3,000-en desu.

- 1 That is a television set
- 2 That over there is a personal computer
3. This is 3,000 yen. That, too, is 3,000 yen



State an item's price Look at the illustrations and state the price of each item

ex ¥50	2 ¥100	3 ¥120	4 ¥300	5 ¥860
1 ¥80				
6 ¥1,200	7 ¥3,000	8 ¥4,800	9 ¥17,000	10 ¥39,000

ex. gojū-en

1. 80-yen

2. 100-yen

3. 120-yen

4. 300-yen

5. 860-yen

6. 1,200-yen

7. 3,000-yen

8. 4,800-yen

9

10

17,000-yen

39,000-yen



Ask and give an item's price. Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustrations.

ex.

1

2

3

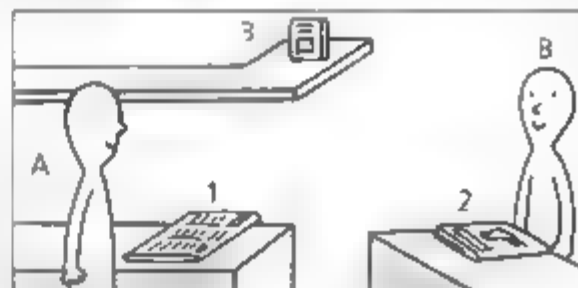
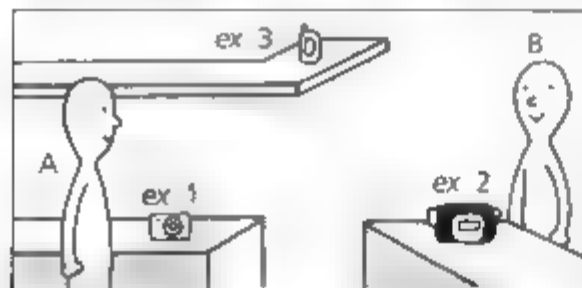
ex. A: Kore wa ikura desu ka.

B: 500-en desu.

- 1 A
- B
- 2 A
- B
- 3 A
- B



III **Identify objects in different locations.** Look at the illustration and make up sentences like the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given

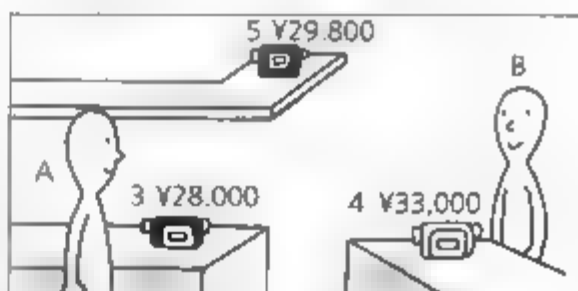
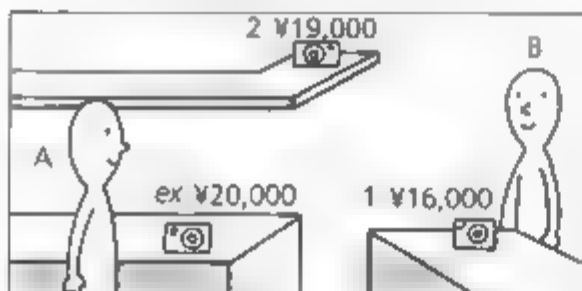


- ex. 1 A: Kore wa dejikame desu.
 ex. 2 A: Sore wa bideo-kamera desu.
 ex. 3 A: Are wa kertai desu.

1. A: (shimbun)
2. A: (zasshi)
3. A: (hon)



IV **Ask and give an item's price.** Use the information in the illustrations to make appropriate questions for each of the answers given.



- ex. A: Kore wa ikura desu ka.
 B: 20,000-en desu.
- 1 A
 - B 16,000-en desu.

- 2 A
B 19,000-en desu.
- 3 A
B 28,000-en desu.
- 4 A
B 33,000-en desu.
- 5 A
B 29,800-en desu.



V **State that two things cost the same or are the same thing.** Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given.

ex. Kore wa 800-en desu. Sore mo 800-en desu.

- 1 (1,500-en)
- 2 (tokei)
- 3 (Sumisu-san no hon)



VI **Ask the price of more than one item.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given.

ex. Sumisu: Kore wa ikura desu ka.
mise no hito: 8,000-en desu.
Sumisu: Are mo 8,000-en desu ka.
mise no hito: Iie, 8,000-en dewa arimasen.
7,500-en desu.



1. Sumisu
mise no hito: (7,000-en)
Sumisu: (7,000-en)
mise no hito: (7,000-en)
2. Sumisu
mise no hito: (9,000-en)
Sumisu: (9,000-en)
mise no hito: (9,000-en)
3. Sumisu
mise no hito: (6,500-en)
Sumisu: (6,500-en)
mise no hito: (6,500-en)



VII **Confirm what an item is.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given

ex. Mr. Smith comes to a store

Sumisu: Are wa DVD desu ka.
mise no hito: Iie, CD desu.
Sumisu: Sore wa DVD desu ka.
mise no hito: Hai, DVD desu.

1. Sumisu: (shāpupenshiru)
mise no hito: (bōrupen)
Sumisu: (shāpupenshiru)
mise no hito: (shāpupenshiru)
2. Sumisu: (Furansu-go no jisho)
mise no hito: (Eigo no jisho)
Sumisu: (Furansu-go no jisho)
mise no hito: (Furansu-go no jisho)



VII **Buy something at a store.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given

ex Sumisu: Sumimasen. Are wa bideo-kamera desu ka.
mise no hito: Iie, dejikame desu.
Sumisu: Sore wa bideo-kamera desu ka.
mise no hito: Hai, sō desu.
Sumisu: Ikura desu ka.
mise no hito: 50,000-en desu.
Sumisu: Ja, sore o kudasai.

1. Sumisu: (CD-purēyā)
mise no hito: (rajiō)
Sumisu: (CD-purēyā)
mise no hito:
Sumisu:
mise no hito: (15,000-en)
Sumisu:

- 2 Sumisu: (terebi)
 mise no hito: (pasokon)
 Sumisu: (terebi)
 mise no hito: (180,000-en)
 Sumisu



IX. Listen to the CD and fill in the blank based on the information you hear

Bideo-kamera wa _____ -en desu

SHORT DIALOGUE



Mr. Smith is at a store, shopping.

Sumisu: Kore o kudasai.

mise no hito: 4,300-en desu.

Sumisu: Kādo demo ii desu ka.

mise no hito: Hai, kekkō desu.

Smith: I'll take this

salesperson: It's 4,300 yen.

Smith: Is it all right to use a credit card?

salesperson: Yes, it's fine

kādo (credit) card

demo ii desu ka is all right?

hai, kekkō desu yes, it's fine

NOTES

1. Kādo demo ii desu ka.

The phrase **demo ii desu ka** is used to ask if something is permissible. It means "Is it all right?"

Active
communication

If you're in Japan, try asking the prices of items at vendors where prices are not listed or are written in *kani*.



TARGET DIALOGUE

Mr. Smith buys a T-shirt

スミス：すみません。あの T シャツは いくらですか。

みせの ひと：どれですか。

スミス：あの あおい T シャツです。

みせの ひと：あれは 1,500 えんです。

スミス：その あかい T シャツは いくらですか。

みせの ひと：1,000 えんです。

スミス：じゃ、それを 2まい ください。

■ あかい T シャツは 1,000 えんです。

Sumisu. Sumimasen. Ano T-shatsu wa ikura desu ka.

mise no hito: Dore desu ka.

Sumisu: Ano aoi T-shatsu desu.

mise no hito: Are wa 1,500-en desu.

Sumisu: Sono akai T-shatsu wa ikura desu ka.

mise no hito: 1,000-en desu.

Sumisu. Ja, sore o 2-mai kudasai.

■ Akai T-shatsu wa 1,000-en desu.

Smith Excuse me. How much is that T-shirt over there?

salesperson Which one?

Smith That blue T-shirt.

salesperson. That's 1,500 yen.

Smith How much is that red T-shirt?

salesperson It's 1,000 yen

Smith Well then, give me two of those

■ The red T-shirt is 1,000 yen

VOCABULARY

あの	ano	that over there (used before a noun)
T シャツ	T-shatsu	T-shirt
どれ	dore	which one
あおい	aoi	blue
その	sono	that (used before a noun)

あかい	akai	red
ふまい	2-mai	two (shirts or other flat objects)
～まい	-mai	(counter for flat objects)

NOTES

1. Sore o 2-mai kudasai.

•**Mai** is a unit for counting thin, flat objects like shirts and pieces of paper. Japanese has two numerical systems: the **hitotsu, futatsu, mitsu** system and the abstract **ichi, ni, san** system. Counting things can be done in two ways: (1) using the **hitotsu, futatsu, mitsu** system independently (see Word Power, p. 39) or (2) using the **ichi, ni, san** system combined with a counter such as **-mai** or **-hon** (**-bon, -pon**), the latter for long, slender objects like pencils and bottles.

ex **Ringo o futatsu kudasai** "Please give me two apples."

The **hitotsu, futatsu, mitsu** system, however, only goes as far as **tō** (10), after which the **ichi, ni, san** system is used: **jūichi, jūni, jūsan**, etc.

Note the word order here: **thing + o + number (or number and counter) + kudasai**

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



1. Items for sale



- 1 hagaki
2 kitte
3 T-shatsu

- 4 akai
5 aoi
6 kuroi

- 7 biru
8 ringo
9 ōkii

- 10 chiisai

VOCABULARY

hagaki postcard
kitte stamp
T-shatsu T-shirt
akai red

aoi blue
kuroi black
biru beer
ringo apple

ōkii large, big
chiisai small, little

	  etc.	 etc.	 etc.
1	ichi-mai	ippon	hitotsu
2	ni-mai	ni-hon	futatsu
3	san-mai	sam-bon	mittsu
4	yon-mai	yon-hon	yottsu
5	go-mai	go-hon	itsutsu
6	roku-mai	roppon	muttsu
7	nana-mai	nana-hon	nanatsu
8	hachi-mai	happon	yattsu
9	kyū-mai	kyū-hon	kokonotsu
10	jū-mai	juppon	tō
11	jūichi-mai	jūippon	jūichi
12	jūni-mai	jūni-hon	juni

KEY SENTENCES

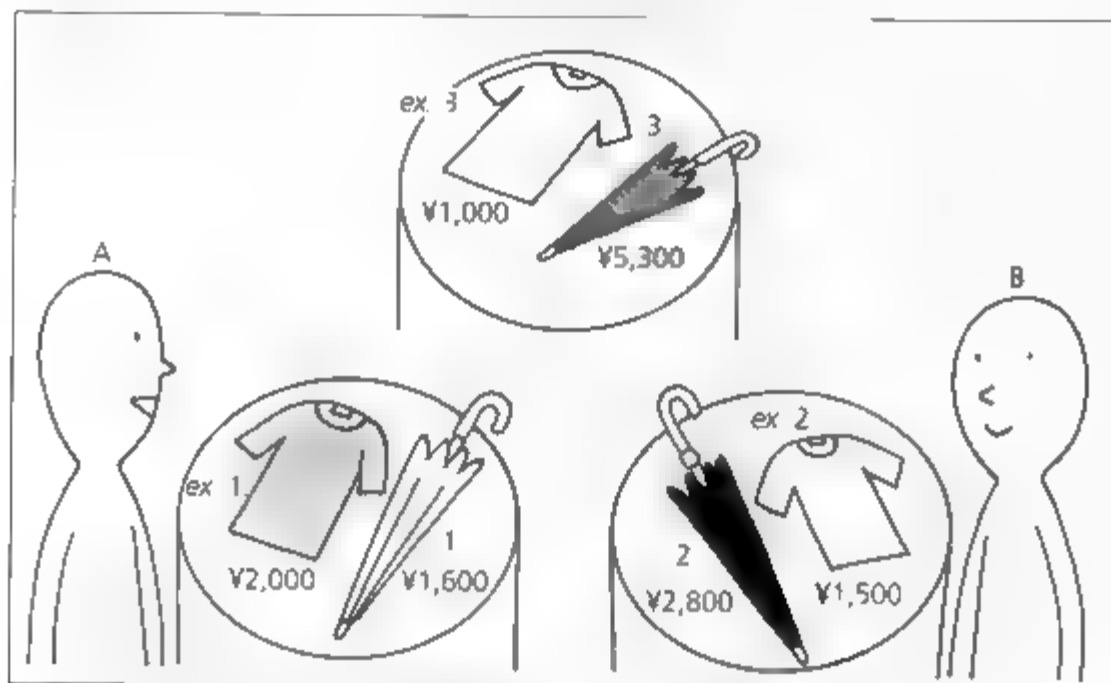
1. Kono T-shatsu wa 2,000-en desu.
2. Ano chiisai kamera wa 5,000-en desu.
3. Kore wa Suisu no tokei desu.
4. Sono ringo o futatsu kudasai.

1. This T-shirt is 2,000 yen
2. That little camera over there is 5,000 yen
3. This is a Swiss watch
4. Give me two of those apples

EXERCISES



Single out a specific item and state its price. Look at the illustration and state how much the umbrellas cost, following the pattern of the example



ex 1 A: Kono T-shatsu wa 2,000-en desu.

ex 2 A: Sono T-shatsu wa 1,500-en desu.

ex 3 A: Ano T-shatsu wa 1,000-en desu.

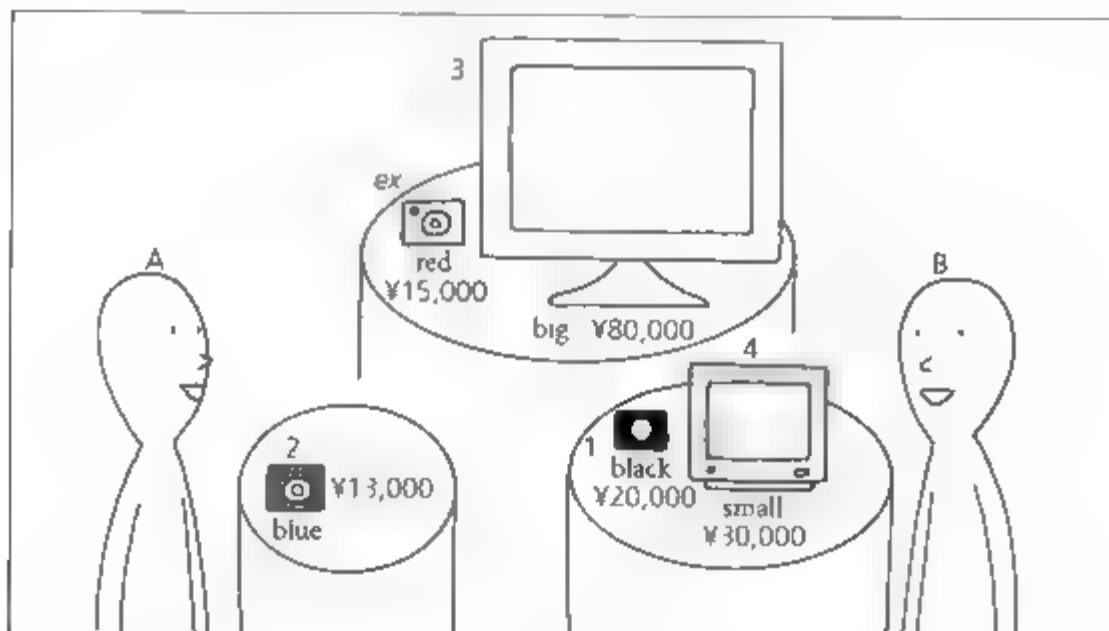
1 A

2 A

3 A



1 Ask and give a specific item's price. Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustration



ex. **A:** Ano akai kamera wa ikura desu ka.

B: 15,000-en desu.

1. **A:**

B:

2. **A:**

B:

3. **A:**

B:

4. **A:**

B:



III Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given

A Ask and answer whether an item is from a given country.

ex. **A:** Kore wa Suisu no toket desu ka.

B: Iie, Suisu no dewa arimasen. Furansu no desu.

1. **A:** (Iギリス no kuruma)

B: (Iギリス no, Italia no)

2. **A:** (N hon no kamera)

B: (N hon no, Doitsu no)

B Ask and answer what an item's country of origin is.

ex. **A:** Kore wa doko no pasokon desu ka.

B: Kankoku no desu.

1. **A:** (dejikame)

B: (Nihon no)

2. **A:** (biru)

B: (Doitsu no)

IV Ask an item's price and whether it is a product of Japan. Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given.

ex. Mr. Smith has gone to a store to shop

Sumisu: Ano kamera wa ikura desu ka.

mise no hito: 20,000-en desu.

Sumisu: Are wa Nihon no kamera desu ka.

mise no hito: Hai, Nihon no desu.

1 Sumisu: _____ (sono tokei)

mise no hito: _____ (15,000-en)

Sumisu: _____ (sore, tokei)

mise no hito

2 Sumisu: _____ (kono terebi)

mise no hito: _____ (43,000-en)

Sumisu: _____ (kore, terebi)

mise no hito

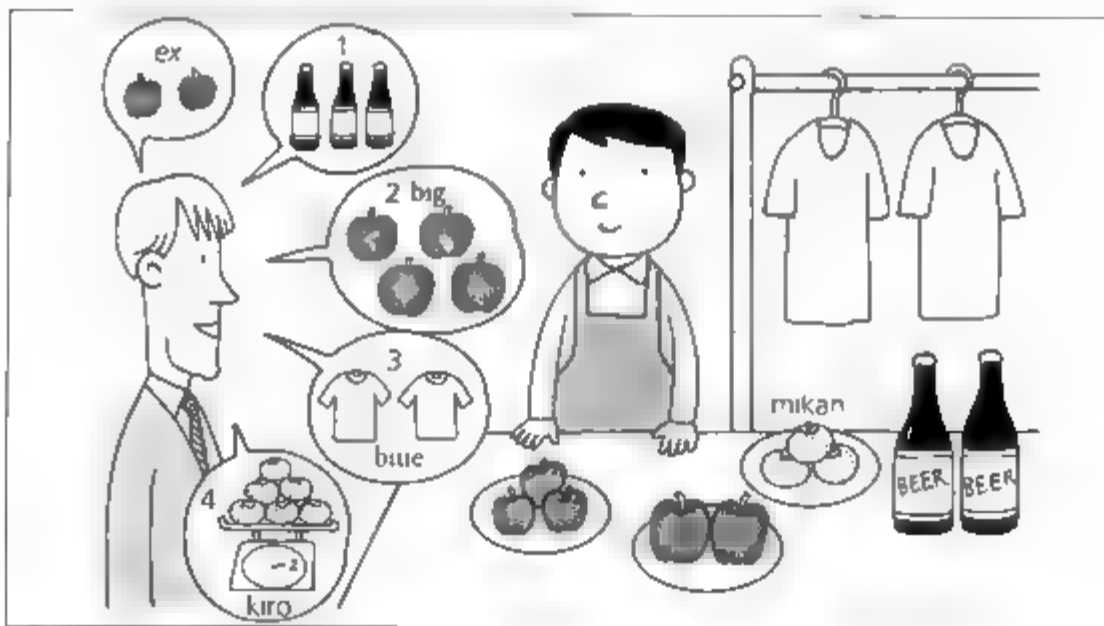
3 Sumisu: _____ (kono kuruma)

mise no hito: _____ (1,500,000-en)

Sumisu: _____ (kore, kuruma)

mise no hito

V Ask for more than one of an item at a store. Make up sentences following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustration



mikan
kiro

tangerine
kilogram

ex Sumisu: Sono ringo o futatsu kudasai.

- 1 Sumisu.
- 2 Sumisu:
- 3 Sumisu:
- 4 Sumisu.



VI *Talk about an item's price and country of origin. Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses*

ex. Sumisu: Sumimasen. Sono wain wa ikura desu ka.
 mise no hito: 1,200-en desu.
 Sumisu: Sore wa doko no wain desu ka.
 mise no hito: Furansu no desu.
 Sumisu: Ja, sore o 2-hon kudasai.

1. Sumisu: (kōhī-kappu)
 mise no hito:
 Sumisu: (kōhī-kappu)
 mise no hito: (itaria)
 Sumisu: (muttsu)
2. Sumisu: (taoru)
 mise no hito:
 Sumisu: (taoru)
 mise no hito: (igirisu)
 Sumisu: (4-mai)



VII *Listen to the CD and choose the correct answers based on the information you hear*

- 1 Where is the beer from?
 a) Nihon b) Amerika c) Daitsu
- 2 How much does the beer cost?
 a) 300-en b) 200-en c) 100-en

SHORT DIALOGUE



At a confectionary

mise no hito: Irasshaimase.

Chan: Shūkurimu o mittsu kudasai.

mise no hito: Hai. 630-en desu.

salesperson: May I help you?

Chan: I'd like three cream puffs, please

salesperson: All right. That will be 630 yen.

VOCABULARY

shūkurimu cream puff

Active Communication

- 1 Ask your classmates or colleagues where an item they own is from (i.e., what its country of origin is)
- 2 If you're in Japan, go shopping and buy more than one of an item. Be sure to use the pattern "number of items + kudasai."

Quiz 1 (Unit 1-3)

I Fill in the blank(s) in each sentence with the appropriate particle. Where a particle is not needed, write in an X.

- Kochira () Sasak san desu
- Sumisu-san wa ABC Fūzu () bengoshi desu
- Buraun-san wa enjinia desu (), bengoshi desu ().
Enjinia desu
- Kore wa watashi () hon dewa arimasen.
Suzuki-san () desu
- Kaigi wa 9-ji () 11-ji () desu.
- Sore () ikura desu ka.
3,000-en desu
Are () 3,000-en desu ka
Iie, 3,000-en dewa arimasen. 3,800-en desu.
- Sono biru () 5-hon () kudasai
- Sore wa doko () kamera desu ka.
Doutsu () desu

II Complete each sentence by filling in the blank(s) with the appropriate word

- Hofuman-san wa () desu ka
Hai, Doutsu-jin desu
- Sore wa () desu ka
Tokeri desu.
- Kore wa () no kasa desu ka
Iie, Takahashi-san no dewa arimasen.
() no desu ka
Sumisu-san no desu.
- Sumisu-san no uchi no denwa-bangô wa () desu ka.
03-3459-9660 desu
- Hiru-yasumi wa () kara () made desu ka
12-ji kara 1-ji made desu.
- Sono akai T-shatsu wa () desu ka
2,300-en desu
- Ano pasokon wa () no desu ka.
Nihon no desu

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UNIT

3

GETTING AROUND

Japan boasts one of the most convenient transportation systems in the world. All major cities from Fukuoka in southern Japan to Tokyo in the east and Hachinohe in the north are connected by bullet train. Other train systems connect towns and outlying suburbs of cities. In large metropolitan areas such as Tokyo, Nagoya, and Osaka, there are also extensive subway systems. To an astounding degree of accuracy, these modes of transportation depart and arrive as scheduled.

UNIT 3 GRAMMAR

Motion Verbs

noun **wa** place **ni** **ikimasu**

ex **Gurei-san wa ashita Kyôto ni ikimasu.** "Mr. Grey will go to Kyoto tomorrow."

Verbs

Japanese sentences end with a verb (or some other element followed by **desu**, which behaves like a verb). The endings of verbs show the tense and whether the verb is affirmative or negative.

Tenses of Japanese verbs can be divided roughly into two categories.

1 The present form. The present, or **-masu** form—so called because verbs in this tense end in **-masu**—encompasses both the simple present (used for expressing habitual action) and future tenses.

ex **Gurei-san wa mainichi kaisha ni ikimasu.**

"Mr. Grey goes to the office (lit., 'company') every day."

(Watashi wa) ashita kaerimasu. "(I) return/am returning/will return tomorrow."

2 The past form. The past, or **-mashita** form, on the other hand, includes not only the simple past tense but also the present perfect.

ex **(Watashi wa) senshû Kyôto ni ikimashita.** "Last week (I) went to Kyoto."

Gurei-san wa mô uchi ni kaerimashita. "Mr. Grey has already gone home."

The chart below summarizes the tenses of Japanese verbs and shows the endings—affirmative and negative—that correspond to each.

PRESENT FORM		PAST FORM	
aff	neg	aff	neg
-masu	-masen	-mashita	-masendeshita

The particle **ni**

The role of the preposition "to" in English is played by the particle **ni** in Japanese. **Ni** is placed after a noun that denotes a place. It indicates the direction of movement with verbs such as **ikimasu** ("go"), **kimasu** ("come"), and **kaerimasu** ("return").

ex **Tôkyô ni ikimasu.** "I am going to Tokyo." (lit., "Tokyo-ward I am going.")

In this pattern, the particle **e** can also be used in place of **ni**.

noun **wa** place **ni** **ikimasu ka**
Hai, (noun wa place ni) ikimasu
ie, (noun wa place ni) ikimasen

ex **Gurei-san wa ashita Kyôto ni ikimasu ka.** "Mr. Grey, will you go to Kyoto tomorrow?"

Hai, ikimasu. "Yes, (I) will go."

Ie, ikimasen. "No, (I) will not go."

Questions that contain verbs

To ask a question like "will you go?" that contains a verb, simply add **ka** to the verb. Answers to such questions can be brief, as in the examples above.



TARGET DIALOGUE

TRACK
21

Mr. Smith phones Mr. Takahashi of Nozomi Department Store to confirm the time of Friday's meeting.

スミス：もしもし、ABCの スミスです。

たかはし：たかはしです。おはようございます。

スミス あした そちらに いきます。かいぎは 3じからですね。

たかはし：はい、3じからです。ひとりで きますか。

スミス：いいえ、かいしゃの ひとと いきます。

たかはし：そうですか。では、あした。

スミス：しつれいします。

■ スミスさんは あした かいしゃの ひとと のぞみデパートに
いきます。

Sumisu: Moshimoshi, ABC no Sumisu desu.

Takahashi: Takahashi desu. Ohayō gozaimasu.

Sumisu: Ashita sochira ni ikimasu. Kaigi wa 3-ji kara desu ne.

Takahashi: Hai, 3-ji kara desu. Hitori de kimasu ka.

Sumisu: Iie, kaisha no hito to ikimasu.

Takahashi: Sō desu ka. Dewa, ashita.

Sumisu: Shitsureishimasu.

■ Sumisu-san wa ashita kaisha no hito to Nozomi Depōto ni ikimasu.

Smith: Hello, this is Smith from ABC.

Takahashi: This is Takahashi. Good morning.

Smith: I'll go to your company (lit. "there") tomorrow. The meeting's from 3:00, right?

Takahashi: Yes, it starts at 3:00. Are you coming alone?

Smith: No, I'll go with someone from the company.

Takahashi: Is that so? Well then, till tomorrow.

Smith: Good-bye.

■ Mr. Smith is going to Nozomi Department Store with a colleague tomorrow.

もしもし

おはようございます

あした

そちら

moshimoshi

ohayō gozaimasu

ashita

sochira

hello (on the telephone)

good morning

tomorrow

there (where your listener is)

に	ni	to (particle; see Unit 3 Grammar, p. 48)
いきます	ikimasu	go
ね	ne	right?, isn't it? (particle; see Notes 3 below)
ひとり	hitori de	alone (lit., "by one person")
きます	kimasu	come
と	to	with, together with (particle)
では	dewa	well then, in any case (formal way of saying ja)
しつれいします	shitsureishimasu	good-bye (lit. "I'm going to be rude")

NOTES

1. Moshimoshi

This is the conventional beginning of a telephone conversation and may be repeated during the call to confirm whether the other party is still on the line.

2. Ashita sochira ni ikimasu.

Relative time expressions like **ashita** "tomorrow," **raishū** ("next week"), **kongetsu** ("this month"), and **kyonen** ("last year") generally do not take particles.

3. Kaigi wa 3-ji kara desu ne.

The particle **ne** comes at the end of a sentence or phrase and, like "isn't it?" in English, seeks confirmation and agreement from the other person. It is spoken with rising intonation.

4. Hitori de kimasu ka.

Iie, kaisha no hito to ikimasu.

The phrase **kaisha no hito to ikimasu** means "I'll go with someone from the company." The Japanese verbs **ikimasu** and **kimasu** are always used from the point of view of the speaker. **Ikimasu** expresses the idea of moving from where the speaker is now to some other place. **Kimasu**, on the other hand, expresses the idea of moving toward the place where the speaker is now. Therefore, unlike in English, a speaker talking about going to the place where the listener is located, as in the above exchange, uses **ikimasu** rather than **kimasu**.

The particle **to** ("with") in **kaisha no hito to ikimasu** is used to indicate accompaniment.

5. Shitsureishimasu.

This expression is used as a form of "good-bye" when hanging up the phone or leaving a house or room. It is also used when entering a house or room, passing in front of someone, leaving in the middle of a gathering, and so on to mean "excuse me."

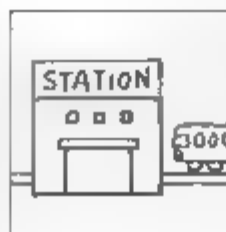
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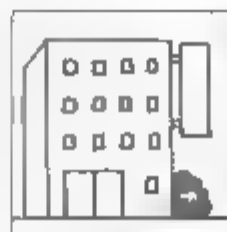
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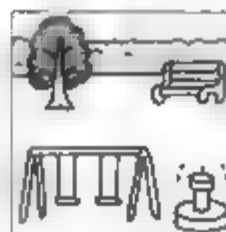
1. **kūkō**



2. **eki**



3. **shisha**

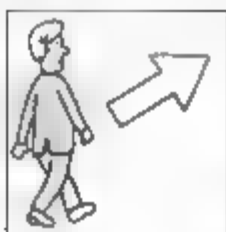


4. **kōen**



5. **tomodachi
no uchi**

II Verbs.



1. **ikimasu**



2. **imasu**



3. **kaerimasu**

III Time expressions.

	LAST	THIS	NEXT
day	kinō	kyō	ashita
week	senshū	konshū	raishū
month	sengetsu	kongetsu	raigetsu
year	kyonen	kotoshi	rainen

VOCABULARY

kūkō

airport

uchi

house

kinō

yesterday

raichū

next week

kotoshi this year

eki

station

ikimasu

go

kyō

today

sengetsu

last month

rainen next year

shisha

branch office

imasu

come

ashita

tomorrow

kongetsu

this month

kōen

park

kaerimasu

return

senshū

last week

raigetsu

next month

tomodachi

friend

kyonen

last year

konshū

this week

kyonen

last year

KEY SENTENCES

1. Sumisu-san wa ashita ginkō ni ikimasu.
2. Sumisu-san wa senshū Honkon ni ikimashita.
3. Chan-san wa kinō tomodachi to resutoran ni ikimashita.
4. Chan-san wa kyonen Nihon ni kimashita.
5. Sumisu-san wa rainen Amerika ni kaerimasu.

- 1 Mr. Smith is going to the bank tomorrow
- 2 Mr. Smith went to Hong Kong last week
- 3 Ms. Chan went to a restaurant with a friend yesterday
- 4 Ms. Chan came to Japan last year
- 5 Mr. Smith will return to the United States next year

EXERCISES



- I **Practice conjugating verbs.** Repeat the verbs below and memorize the *r* forms: present and past, affirmative and negative

	PRESENT FORM		PAST FORM	
	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg</i>	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg</i>
go	ikimasu	ikimasen	ikimashita	ikimasendeshita
come	kimasu	kimasen	kimashita	kimasendeshita
return, go home	kaerimasu	kaerimasen	kaerimashita	kaerimasendeshita



- II **Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples.** Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given

A. State where someone will go.

ex. Sumisu-san wa ginkō ni ikimasu.

- 1 Sumisu-san wa _____ (kūkō)
- 2 Chan-san wa _____ (Tōkyō Eki)
- 3 Mr. Smith wa _____ (Ōsaka-shisha)
- 4 Sumisu-san wa _____ (Ginza no depōto)

B. State when someone will go to Kyoto.

ex. Sumisu-san wa ashita Kyōto ni ikimasu.

- 1 Sumisu-san wa _____ (raishū)
- 2 Chan-san wa _____ (raigetsu)
- 3 Mr. Smith wa _____ (asatte)

C State when someone went to Hong Kong

ex. Sumisu-san wa kinō Honkon ni ikimashita.

1. A. _____ (senshu)

2. _____ (sengetsu)

3. _____ (kyonen)



II Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given

A Ask and answer whether someone will go to a particular place.

ex. A: Sumisu-san wa ashita Kyōto ni ikimasu ka.

B: Hai, ikimasu.

1. A. _____ (yūbinkyoku)

B. _____

2. A. _____ (Ginza no depāto)

B. _____

B Ask and answer whether someone will go to a particular place.

ex. A: Sumisu-san wa ashita ginkō ni ikimasu ka.

B: Iie, ikimasen.

1. A. _____ (Ōsaka-shisha)

B. _____

2. A. _____ (kūkō)

B. _____

C Ask and answer whether someone went to a particular place.

ex. A: Sumisu-san wa kinō Honkon ni ikimashita ka.

B: Hai, ikimashita.

1. A. _____ (kōen)

B. _____

2. A. _____ (tomodachi no uch)

B. _____

D Ask and answer whether someone went to a particular place.

ex. A: Sumisu-san wa kinō taishikan ni ikimashita ka.

B: Iie, ikimasendeshita.

1 A: _____ (Nozomi Depāto)
B: _____

2 A: _____ (ginkō)
B: _____

IV Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given.

A. Ask and answer where someone will go.

ex. A: Sumisu-san wa ashita doko ni ikimasu ka.

B: Nozomi Depāto ni ikimasu.

1 A: _____
B: _____ (Kyōto)

2 A: _____
B: _____ (tomodachi no uchi)

B. Ask and answer when someone will go to a particular place.

ex. A: Katō-san wa itsu Ōsaka-shisha ni ikimasu ka.

B: Raishū ikimasu.

1 A: _____
B: _____ (ashita)

2 A: _____
B: _____ (raigetsu)

V State whom someone will go somewhere with. Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined word with the alternatives given.

ex. Chan-san wa tomodachi to resutoran ni ikimasu.

1 _____ (Nakamura-san)

2 _____ (Suzuki-san)

3 _____ (Sumisu-san)



VI Ask and answer whom someone will go somewhere with. Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined word with the alternatives given

ex A: Sumisu-san wa ashita dare to Nozomi Depôto ni ikimasu ka.
B: Katô-san to ikimasu.

1 A

B: (Chan-san)

2 A

B: (Sasaki-san)



VI Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given.

A. State who came to Japan.

ex Sumisu-san wa kyonen Nihon ni kimashita.

1 (Chan-san)

2 (Gurin-san)

B. State who will return to America.

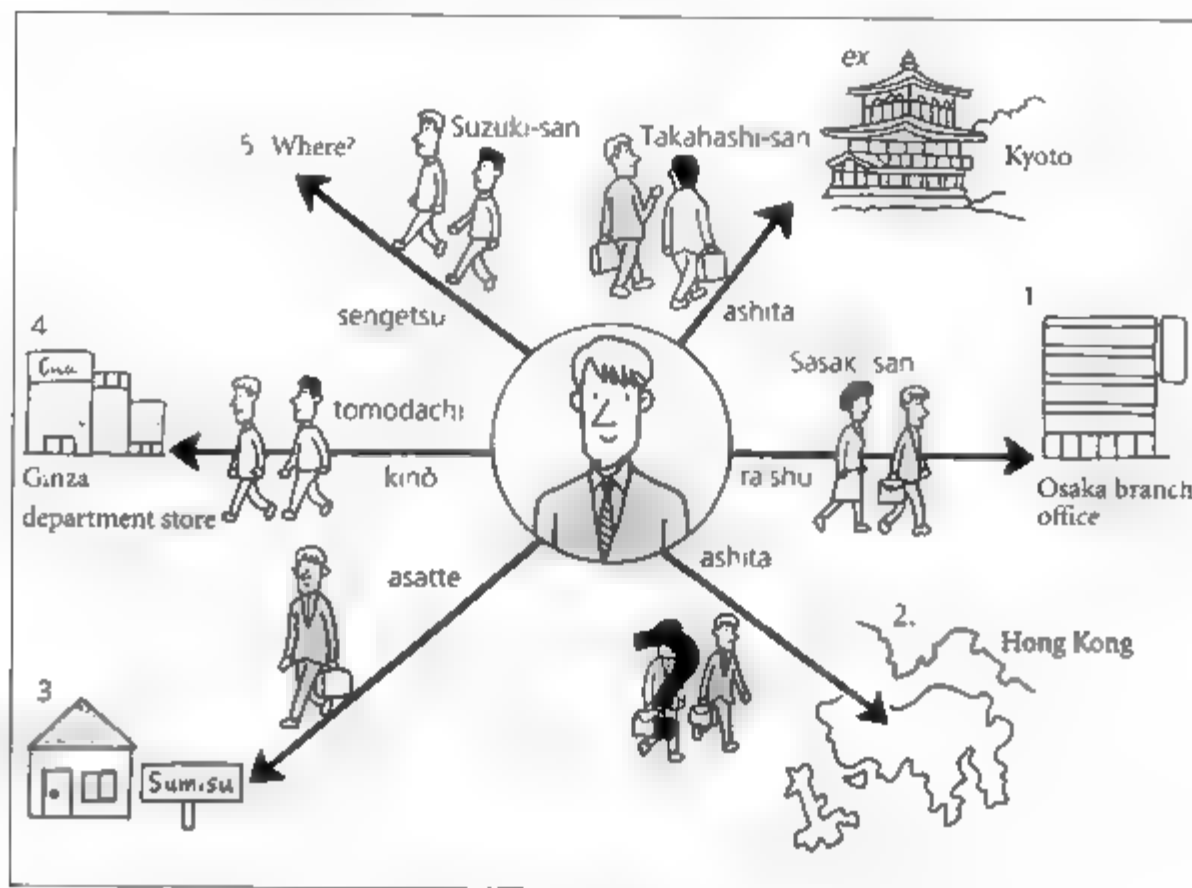
ex. Sumisu-san wa rainen Amerika ni kaerimasu.

1 (Gurin-san)

2 (Sumisu-san no tomodach)



VII *State when, where, and with whom someone will travel.* Make up sentences following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustration



ex. Sumisu-san wa ashita Takahashi-san to Kyōto ni ikimasu.

1

2

3

4

5



IX **Talk about a plan.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses.

ex. Mr. Smith is talking on the phone with a person from the Yokohama branch office.
Yokohama-shisha no hito: Sumisu-san wa itsu Yokohama-shisha ni kimasu ka.
Sumisu: Ashita ikimasu.
Yokohama-shisha no hito: Dare to kimasu ka.
Sumisu: Chan-san to ikimasu.
Yokohama-shisha no hito: Sō desu ka.

1 Yokohama-shisha no hito

Sumisu: (raishū)

Yokohama-shisha no hito

Sumisu: (Katō-san)

Yokohama-shisha no hito

2 Yokohama-shisha no hito

Sumisu: (asatte)

Yokohama-shisha no hito

Sumisu: (Sasaki-san)

Yokohama-shisha no hito



X Listen to the CD and fill in the blanks based on the information you hear.

Sumisu-san wa asatte to ni kimasu.

SHORT DIALOGUES



i Ms. Chan sees Mr. Suzuki in front of ABC Foods carrying a large piece of luggage.

Chan: A, Suzuki-san, shutchō desu ka.

Suzuki: Ee, Ōsaka-shisha ni ikimasu. Asatte Tōkyō ni kaerimasu.

Chan: Sō desu ka. Itterasshai.

Chan: Oh, Mr. Suzuki, are you going on a business trip?

Suzuki: Yes, I'm going to the Osaka branch office. I'll come back to Tokyo the day after tomorrow.

Chan: Really? Have a good trip.

VOCABULARY

a	oh (interjection used to get someone's attention)
shutchō	business trip
itterasshai	good-bye, have a nice trip

At a bus stop, Mr. Smith asks the driver a question before boarding.

Sumisu:	Sumimasen. Kono basu wa Shibuya ni ikimasu ka.
basu no untenshu:	Iie, ikimasen.
Sumisu:	Dono basu ga ikimasu ka.
basu no untenshu:	88-ban no basu ga ikimasu.
Sumisu:	Arigatō gozaimasu.
Smith:	Excuse me. Does this bus go to Shibuya?
bus driver:	No, it doesn't.
Smith:	Which bus goes there?
bus driver:	The number 88 bus goes there.
Smith:	Thank you.

VOCABULARY

basu	bus
Shibuya	Shibuya (district in Tokyo)
untenshu	driver
dono	which (used before a noun)
ga	(particle that marks the subject of a sentence, see Note 2 below)
-ban	number (counter; used as a suffix after a number)

NOTES

1. Dono basu

Dore is used alone to mean "which," but if "which" is to be followed by a noun, then **dono** is used.

ex. **dore**, "which one"

dono basu, "which bus"

2. Dono basu ga ikimasu ka.

88-ban no basu ga ikimasu.

The particle **ga** is used instead of the topic marker **wa** after interrogatives like **dore** and **dono**. In the case of **dono**, it follows the noun **dono basu ga**. **Ga** is repeated in replies to questions of the **dore ga** or **dono . . . ga** pattern, as in the exchange here.

Active
Communication

Ask someone where they are going tomorrow, next week, next month, and so on.



TARGET DIALOGUE

25

Mr. Smith goes to Nozomi Department Store on business with Ms. Chan on Friday

たかはし スミスさん、チャンさん、どうぞ おはいりください。

スミス：しつれいします。

チャン：しつれいします。

たかはし：どうぞ こちらへ。

スミス、チャン：ありがとうございます。

たかはし：くるまで きましたか。

スミス：いいえ、ちかてつで きました。

 ■ スミスさんは きんようびに チャンさんと ちかてつで のぞみ
デパートに いきました。

Takahashi: Sumisu-san, Chan-san, dōzo ohairikudasai.

Sumisu: Shitsureishimasu.

Chan: Shitsureishimasu.

Takahashi: Dōzo kochira e.

Sumisu, Chan: Arigatō gozaimasu.

Takahashi: Kuruma de kimashita ka.

Sumisu: Iie, chikatetsu de kimashita.

■ Sumisu-san wa kin-yōbi ni Chan-san to chikatetsu de Nozomi Depōto ni ikimashita.

Takahashi: Mr. Smith, Ms. Chan, please come in.

Smith: Excuse me.

Chan: Excuse me.

Takahashi: Come right this way.

Smith, Chan: Thank you.

Takahashi: Did you come by car?

Smith: No, we came by subway.

■ On Friday, Mr. Smith went with Ms. Chan to Nozomi Department Store by subway.

おはいりください

どうぞ こちらへ

で

ちかてつ

きんようび

に

ohairikudasai

dōzo kochira e

de

chikatetsu

kin-yōbi

ni

please come in

come right this way

by means of (particle indicating means)

subway

Friday

at, on, in (particle indicating time; see Note 2 below)

1. Kuruma de kimashita ka.

The function of the particle **de** ("by means of"), which follows nouns, is to express means of conveyance.

ex. **basu de**, "by bus"

takushi de, "by taxi"

But to say "by foot," use **aruite**, e.g. **aruite kimashita**, "(I) walked here."

To ask the means by which someone will go somewhere, use **nan de**.

ex. **Nan de ikimasu ka.** "How will you go?"

Basu de ikimasu. "I'll go by bus."

2. Kin-yōbi ni . . . ikimashita.

Unlike relative time expressions (see Note 2, p. 50), specific time expressions take the particle **ni**.

ex. **5-ji ni**, "at 5:00"

do-yōbi ni, "on Saturday"

12-nichi ni, "on the twelfth"

2006-nen ni, "in 2006"

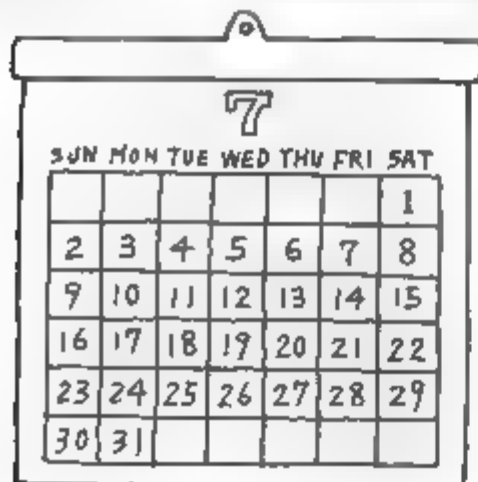
PRACTICE

WORD POWER



I Dates

YEARS		
1998-nen	sen kyūhyaku kyūjūhachi-nen	the year 1998
2006-nen	nisen roku-nen	the year 2006



DAYS OF THE WEEK	
nichi-yōbi	Sunday
getsu-yōbi	Monday
ka-yōbi	Tuesday
sui-yōbi	Wednesday
moku-yōbi	Thursday
kin-yōbi	Friday
do-yōbi	Saturday

MONTHS		DAYS OF THE MONTH			
ichi-gatsu	January	tsuitachi	1st	jūshichi-nichi	17th
ni-gatsu	February	futsuka	2nd	jūhachi-nichi	18th
san-gatsu	March	mikka	3rd	jūku-nichi	19th
shi-gatsu	April	yokka	4th	hatsuka	20th
go-gatsu	May	itsuka	5th	nijuichi-nichi	21st
roku-gatsu	June	muika	6th	nijūni-nichi	22nd
shichi-gatsu	July	nanoka	7th	nijusan-nichi	23rd
hachi-gatsu	August	yōka	8th	nijuyokka	24th
ku-gatsu	September	kokonoka	9th	nijūgo-nichi	25th
jū-gatsu	October	tōka	10th	nijūroku-nichi	26th
jūichi-gatsu	November	jūichi-nichi	11th	nijūshichi-nichi	27th
jūni-gatsu	December	jūni-nichi	12th	nijūhachi-nichi	28th
		jūsan-nichi	13th	nijūku-nichi	29th
		jūyokka	14th	sanjū-nichi	30th
		jūgo-nichi	15th	sanjuichi-nichi	31st
		jūroku-nichi	16th		

NOTE: Months and dates are romanized here, but elsewhere in the book numerals are used to write them, e.g., **1-gatsu** for "January," **11-nichi** for "the eleventh," etc.

II. Means of transportation



1 densha 2 chikatetsu 3 kuruma 4 takushi 5 shinkansen 6 hikōki

KEY SENTENCES

1. Kaigi wa sui-yōbi desu.
2. Buraun-san wa 3-gatsu 26-nichi ni Iギリス kara Nihon ni kimashita.
3. Jonson-san wa raishū no kin-yōbi ni Nihon ni kimasu.
4. Sumisu-san wa shinkansen de Ōsaka ni ikimasu.

- 1 The meeting is Wednesday
- 2 Ms. Brown came to Japan from the United Kingdom on March 26
- 3 Mr. Johnson will come to Japan next Friday
- 4 Mr. Smith is going to Osaka on the Shinkansen

VOCABULARY

-gatsu
-nichi
densha
chikatetsu
kuruma

month
day (of the month) (counter)
train
subway
car

takushi
shinkansen
hikōki
kara
Jonson

taxi
the Shinkansen (Japan's bullet train)
airplane
from (particle indicating origin or point of departure)
Johnson (surname)



- 1 State when a meeting will be held. Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined word with the alternatives given.

ex. Kaigi wa sui-yōbi desu.

1 A: (getsu-yōbi)

2 A: (4-gatsu hatsuka)



Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given.

- A. Ask and answer when a festival will be held.

ex. A: O-matsuri wa nan-gatsu desu ka.

B: 9-gatsu desu.

1 A: (nan-nichi)

B: (17-nichi)

2 A: (nan-yōbi)

B: (ka-yōbi)

- B. Ask and answer when an event will take place.

ex. A: Tanjōbi wa itsu desu ka.

B: 8-gatsu 19-nichi desu.

1. A: (kaigi)

B: (7-gatsu tsuitachi)

2. A: (pātī)

B: (raishū no do-yōbi)

- C. Ask and answer when an event will take place, from when and until when.

ex. A: Natsu-yasumi wa itsu kara itsu made desu ka.

B: 8-gatsu mikka kara 28-nichi made desu.

1. A: (shutchō)

B: (getsu-yōbi, moku-yōbi)

2. A: (ryokō)

B: (4-gatsu 29-nichi, 5-gatsu itsuka)



- II **State when someone came to a place.** Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined word with the alternatives given.

ex Buraun-san wa 4-gatsu ni Igrisu kara kimashita.

- 1 (11-gatsu)
- 2 (3-gatsu 26-nich)
- 3 (2004-nen)



- IV **Ask and answer when someone will come to Japan.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined word with the alternatives given.

ex A: Jonson-san wa itsu Nihon ni kimasu ka.

B: Sui-yōbi ni kimasu.

- 1 A.
B. (nich -yōbi)
- 2 A.
B: (raishū no kin-yōbi)



- V **State how someone got home.** Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined part with the alternatives given.

ex Sumisu-san wa chikatetsu de uchi ni kaerimashita.

- 1 (takushī de)
- 2 (densha de)
- 3 (aruite)



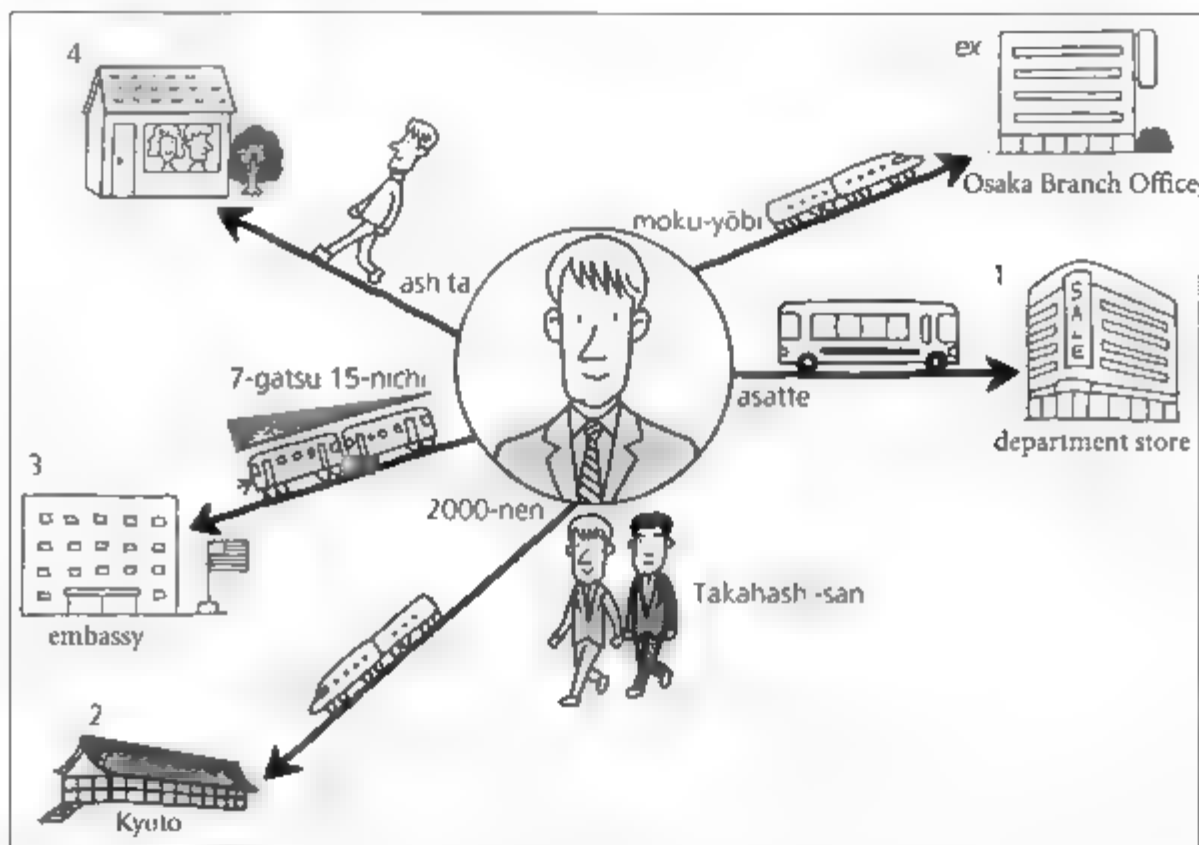
- VI **Ask and answer how someone will get to Osaka.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined word with the words in parentheses.

ex A: Sumisu-san wa nan de Ōsaka ni ikimasu ka.

B: Kuruma de ikimasu.

- 1 A.
B. (shinkansen)
- 2 A.
B: (hikōki)

VII **State when and how someone will reach his destination.** Look at the illustration and make up sentences following the pattern of the example



ex Sumisu-san wa moku-yōbi ni shinkansen de Ōsaka-shisha ni ikimasu.

1

2

3

4



- VII **Describe a schedule.** Look at the page from Mr. Smith's weekly planner and make up sentences following the pattern of the example and based on the information provided

ex	Mon.	12:00	Go to Tokyo Hotel (by taxi, with Mr. Suzuki)
	Tue		
1	Wed.		Go to Osaka branch office (by airplane, alone)
	Thu		
2	Fri.	12:00	Go to the restaurant (with my secretary)
		4:00	Go to Yokohama branch office (with Ms. Sasaki)
		6:00	Go to the American Embassy
	Sat.		
3	Sun.	9:00 a.m.	Go to the park (with friends)
		7:00 p.m.	Go to a friend's house (with Mr. Suzuki)

ex **Sumisu-san wa getsu-yōbi no 12-ji ni Suzuki-san to takushi de Tōkyō Hoteru ni ikimasu.**

1

2

3



- X **Talk about a plan.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses

ex. **Ōsaka-shisha no hito: Raishū no getsu-yōbi ni sochira ni ikimasu.**

Sumisu: Nan-ji ni kimasu ka.

Ōsaka-shisha no hito: 10-ji ni ikimasu.

Sumisu: Nan de kimasu ka.

Ōsaka-shisha no hito: Shinkansen de ikimasu.

Sumisu: Sō desu ka.

1. **Ōsaka-shisha no hito**

Sumisu

Ōsaka-shisha no hito: _____ (9-ji)

Sumisu

Ōsaka-shisha no hito: _____ (hikōki)

Sumisu

2 Ōsaka-shisha no hito:

Sumisu

Ōsaka-shisha no hito: (11-ji)

Sumisu

Ōsaka-shisha no hito: (sh nkansen)

Sumisu



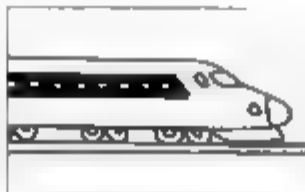
X. Listen to the CD and choose the correct answers to the questions asked

1 a) getsu-yōbi b) moku-yōbi c) sui-yōbi

2 a)



b)



c)



SHORT DIALOGUE



A conversation while drinking tea at Nozomi Department Store

Takahashi: Chan-san wa itsu Nihon ni kimashita ka.

Chan: Kyonen no 10-gatsu ni Honkon kara kimashita.

Takahashi: Sō desu ka. Natsu-yasumi ni Honkon ni kaerimasu ka.

Chan: Iie, kaerimasen. Tomodachi to Okinawa ni ikimasu.

Takahashi: Ms Chan, when did you come to Japan?

Chan: I came in October of last year, from Hong Kong.

Takahashi: Really? Will you go back to Hong Kong for summer vacation?

Chan: No, I won't. I'm going to Okinawa with a friend

VOCABULARY

Okinawa

Okinawa (islands on the southwestern tip of Japan)

Active Communication

- 1 Ask people when their birthdays are
- 2 Ask people when their summer vacations are



UNIT

4

A WEEKEND EXCURSION

In the vicinity of Tokyo lie a number of places to visit for pleasure. From the historical sites of Nikko in the north to the gorgeous lakes surrounding Mt. Fuji in the southwest, these locations are only about two hours away from the city. Other popular places include Kamakura, a historical town that dates back to the twelfth century; Okutama, a region abound with rivers, gorges, and mountains; and Hakone, an attractive place to enjoy *onsen*. *Onsen* are Japanese spas, and to visit one is a small luxury that the Japanese enjoy tremendously.

UNIT 4

GRAMMAR

Existence of People and Things

place **ni** noun **ga** **arimasu/imasu**

ex **1-kai ni resutoran ga arimasu.** "There is a restaurant on the first floor."

Uketsuke ni onna no hito ga imasu. "There is a woman at the reception desk."

■ The verbs **arimasu** and **imasu**

Both verbs express "being." **Arimasu** is used for inanimate things (books, buildings, trees), and **imasu** for animate things (people, animals, insects).

■ The particle **ni**

Existence in or at a place is indicated by the particle **ni**.

■ The subject marker **ga**

When a subject is introduced for the first time, or when the speaker believes the information to be new to the listener, the subject marker **ga** is used after the noun. **Ga** should be used, for instance, when stating that someone or something unknown to your listener is in or at a particular place.

noun **wa** place **ni** **arimasu/imasu**

ex **Resutoran wa 1-kai ni arimasu.** "The restaurant is on the first floor."

■ **Ga** → **wa**

To state that a thing or person exists in a particular location, use **ga arimasu/imasu**, as in **1-kai ni resutoran ga arimasu**. But if you want to comment about that thing or person—even to say where it or he/she exists—use **wa** instead of **ga**, as in **Resutoran wa 1-kai ni arimasu**, where "the restaurant" is the topic of the sentence. Note the difference in translation: "There is a restaurant on the first floor" for the first sentence, versus "The restaurant is on the first floor" for the second.



TARGET DIALOGUE

TRACK
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Mr. Kato and Ms. Chan are talking about Nikko.

かとう：どうぶに かぞくと にっこうに いきます。

チャン：そうですか。にっこうに なにか ありますか。

かとう：おおきい おてらや じんじゃが あります。おんせんも あります。

チャン：おんせんって なんですか。

かとう：(shows her a pamphlet and points) これです。にほんの スパですよ。

チャン：いいですね。

■ かとうさんは どうぶに かぞくと にっこうに いきます。
にっこうに おおきい おてらや じんじゃが あります。

Katō: Do-yōbi ni kazoku to Nikkō ni ikimasu.

Chan: Sō desu ka. Nikkō ni nani ga arimasu ka.

Katō: Ōkii o-tera ya jinja ga arimasu. Onsen mo arimasu.

Chan: Onsen tte nan desu ka.

Katō: (shows her a pamphlet and points) Kore desu. Nihon no supa desu yo.

Chan: Ii desu ne.

■ Katō-san wa do-yōbi ni kazoku to Nikkō ni ikimasu.
Nikkō ni ōkii o-tera ya jinja ga arimasu.

Kato: On Saturday I'm going to Nikko with my family.

Chan: Really? What is there in Nikko?

Kato: There are large temples and shrines. There are also onsen.

Chan: What are onsen?

Kato: These. Japanese spas.

Chan: That's nice.

■ Mr. Kato will go to Nikko with his family on Saturday. There are large temples and shrines (and other such things) in Nikko.



The Toshogu Shrine (Nikko)



Nikko

VOCABULARY

かぞく

kazoku

family

にっこう

Nikkō

Nikko (scenic area north of Tokyo)

なに

nani

what

あります

arimasu

be, exist

おてら

o-tera

Buddhist temple

や	ya	and, and so on (particle; see Note 1 below)
じんじゃ	jinja	Shinto shrine
おんせん	onsen	hot spring (resort)
～って なんですか	-tte nan desu ka	what is a/an . ?
スパ	supa	spa
よ	yo	(particle; see Note 2 below)
いいですね	ii desu ne	that's nice

NOTES

1. (Nikkō ni) o-tera ya jinja ga arimasu.

The particle **ya** is used for “and” when listing two or more things or people and implying the existence of others. Another particle, **to**, also means “and,” but it does not imply the existence of other people or things.

ex 1-kai ni ginkō to kombini ga arimasu.

“There is a bank and a convenience store on the first floor (and nothing else).”

Note that unlike “and” in English, both **ya** and **to** are used only to connect nouns. They cannot be used to connect verbs or clauses.

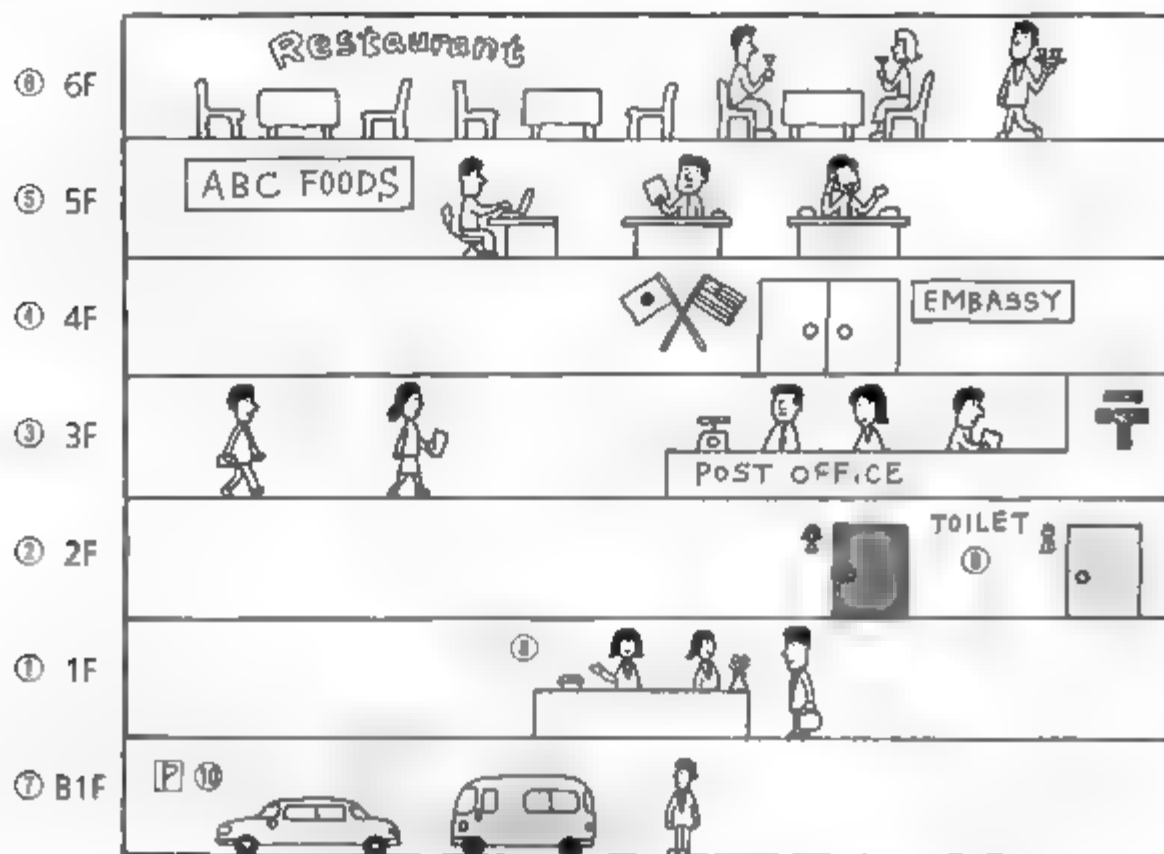
2. Nihon no supa desu yo.

The particle **yo** is added to the end of a sentence to call attention to information the speaker thinks the other person does not know.

WORD POWER



I. Parts of a building



1 ikkai

2 ni-kai

3 san-gai

4 yon-kai

5 go-kai

6 rokkai

7 chika ikkai

8 uketsuke

9 o-tearai

10 chūshajō

NOTE: Floors are romanized here, but elsewhere in the book they are spelled with numerals, e.g., 1-kai for "first floor," 3-gai for "third floor," etc.

VOCABULARY

ikkai

-kai/-gai

chika ikkai

chika

first floor, ground floor
floor, story (counter)

first basement floor (of several)
basement

uketsuke

o-tearai

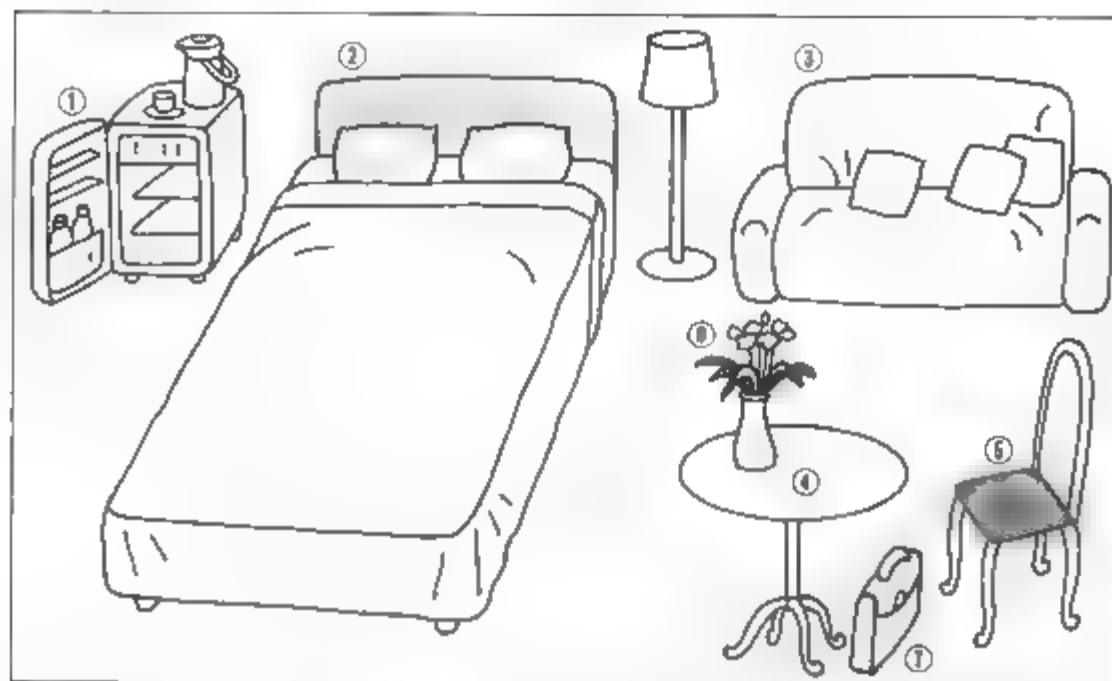
chūshajō

reception desk

restroom, lavatory

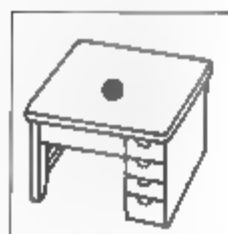
parking lot

II Things in a hotel room:

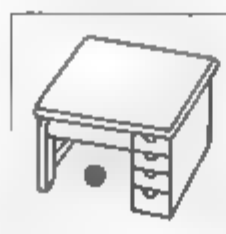


1 reizōko 2 beddo 3 sofā 4 tēburu 5 isu 6 hana 7 kaban

III Positions.



1 ue



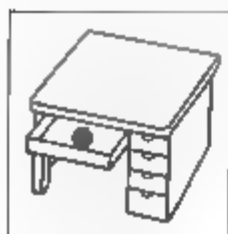
2 shita



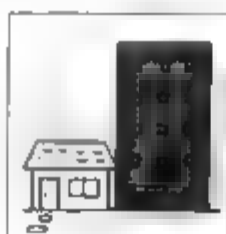
3 mae



4 ushiro



5 naka



6 tonari



7. chikaku

1. 1-kai ni ginkō ga arimasu.
 2. Uketsuke ni onna no hito ga imasu.
 3. Tēburu no ue ni shimbun to hana ga arimasu.
 4. Kaban no naka ni kagi ya hon ga arimasu.
 5. Tēburu no ue ni nani mo arimasen.
 6. 2-kai ni dare mo imasen.
-
- 1 There is a bank on the first floor
 - 2 There is a woman at the reception desk
 - 3 There is a newspaper and some flowers on the table
 - 4 Inside the briefcase there are keys and books and so on
 - 5 There is nothing on the table
 - 6 There is no one on the second floor

EXERCISES



- I. *Practice conjugating verbs.* Repeat the verbs below and memorize their forms: present and past, affirmative and negative

	PRESENT FORM		PAST FORM	
	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg</i>	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg</i>
be	arimasu	arimasen	arimashita	arimasendeshita
be	imasu	imasen	imashita	imasendeshita



- II Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the words in the parentheses

A. *State what is in or at a particular place.*

ex Nikkō ni o-tera ga arimasu.

1 (jinja)

2 (mizuumi)

B. *State who is at a particular place.*

ex Uketsuke ni onna no hito ga imasu.

1 (otoko no hito)

2 (Takahashi-san)



III Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses

A. Ask and answer what is at a particular place.

ex A: 1-kai ni nani ga arimasu ka.
B: Ginkō ga arimasu.

- 1 A: (2 kai)
B: (yubinkyoku)
- 2 A: (3-gai)
B: (taishikan)

B Ask and answer who is at a particular place.

ex A: Uketsuke ni dare ga imasu ka.
B: Takahashi-san ga imasu.

- 1 A: (chūshajō)
B: (otoko no hito)
- 2 A: (3-gai)
B: (Sumisu-san)



IV State where a thing is located. Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined part with the alternatives given

ex. Tōburu no ue ni saifu ga arimasu.

- 1 (kaban no naka)
- 2 (shimbun no shita)



V Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined part(s) with the alternatives given.

A. Ask and answer what is inside another thing.

ex A: Kaban no naka ni nani ga arimasu ka.
B: Pen ga arimasu.

- 1 A:
B: (kagi)
- 2 A:
B: (keitai)

3 A

B (saifu)

4 A

B (N hon-go no hon)

B. Ask and answer what is on, in, or nearby another thing.

ex. A: Tēburu no ue ni nani ga arimasu ka.

B: Shimbun to hana ga arimasu.

1 A: (sofā no ue)

B: (hon to sētā)

2 A: (reizōko no naka)

B: (mizu ya bīru)

3 A: (beddo no chikaku)

B: (denwa)

C. Ask and answer what is in or on another thing.

ex. A: Hikidashi no naka ni nani ga arimasu ka.

B: Nani mo arimasen.

1. A: (isu no ue)

B:

2. A: (poketto no naka)

B:

D. Ask and answer who is at a particular place.

ex. A: 2-kai ni dare ga imasu ka.

B: Dare mo imasen.

1. A: (5-kai)

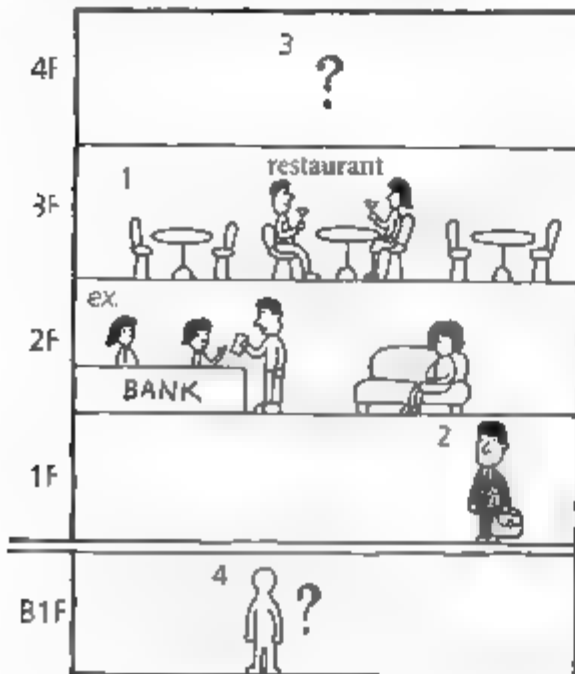
B:

2. A: (uketsuke)

B:



VI *State or ask where someone or something is located.* Make up sentences following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustrations



ex. 2-kai ni ginkō ga arimasu.

- | | | |
|---|-------|---|
| 1 | | 5 |
| 2 | | 6 |
| 3 | | 7 |
| 4 | | 8 |



VII *Talk about a tourist destination.* Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given

ex. Katô: Nichi-yōbi ni kuruma de Hakone ni ikimasu.
 Sumisu: Sô desu ka. Hakone ni nani ga arimasu ka.
 Katô: Mizuumi ya onsen ga arimasu.
 Sumisu: Ii desu ne.

1. Katô: (Kamakura)
 Sumisu: (Kamakura)
 Katô: (jinja ya o-tera)
 Sumisu:

- 2 Katô: (Odaiba)
 Sumisu: (Odaiba)
 Katô: (hoteru ya onsen)
 Sumisu:



VII Listen to the CD and fill in the blanks based on the information you hear

1. 1-kai ni ga arimasu
 2. 2-kai ni ga arimasu
 3. 3-gai ni ga arimasu

SHORT READING

Mr. Kato stays at a famous inn in Nikko.

Ryokan no chikaku ni ôki mizuumi ya taki ga arimasu.

Ryokan no tonari ni soba-ya ga arimasu. Ryokan no mae ni chisai kôen ga arimasu.

Near the inn are things like a large lake and waterfalls. Next to the inn is a buckwheat noodle shop. In front of the inn is a small park.

VOCABULARY

ryokan	traditional Japanese inn
taki	waterfall
soba-ya	buckwheat noodle shop
-ya	shop (suffix)

Active Communication

Using the vocabulary you have learned so far, ask someone what is in his or her hometown or nearby his or her house



TARGET DIALOGUE

TRACK
32

Mr. Kato has come to Nikko. He asks a salesperson at a store where to find a parking lot.

かとう：すみません。この ちかくに ちゅうしゃじょうが
ありますか。

みせの ひと：ええ。ありますよ。

かとう どこですか。

みせの ひと：あそこに コンビニが ありますね。

ちゅうしゃじょうは あの コンビニの となりです。

かとう：どうも ありがとう。

■ ちゅうしゃじょうは コンビニの となりに あります。

Katō: Sumimasen. Kono chikaku ni chūshajō ga arimasu ka.

mise no hito: Ee. Arimasu yo.

Katō: Doko desu ka.

mise no hito: Asoko ni kombini ga arimasu ne. Chūshajō wa ano kombini no tonari desu.

Katō: Dōmo arigatō.

■ Chūshajō wa kombini no tonari ni arimasu.

Kato: Excuse me. Is there a parking lot in the vicinity?

salesperson: Yes, there is.

Kato: Where is it?

salesperson: There's a convenience store over there, right? The parking lot is next to the convenience store.

Kato: Thank you.

■ The parking lot is next to the convenience store.

VOCABULARY

あそこ
コンビニ

asoko
kombini

over there
convenience store

1. Chūshajō wa kombini no tonari desu.

When the verb is understood, **desu** sometimes takes its place at the end of the sentence

ex **Terebi wa doko ni arimasu ka.** "Where is the TV set?"

Tēburu no ue desu (instead of **Tēburu no ue ni arimasu**) "It's on the table "

If it is uncertain whether there is a TV set, **desu** cannot be substituted, and **arimasu** must be repeated to make the meaning clear

ex. **Tēburu no ue ni terebi ga arimasu ka.** "Is there a TV set on the table?"

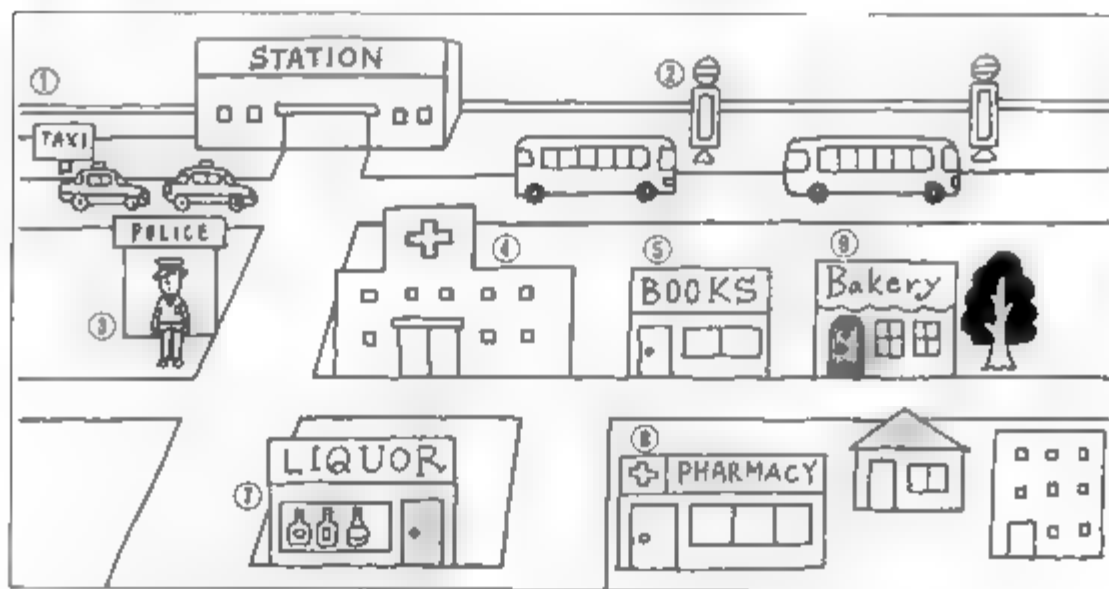
Hai, arimasu /Hai, terebi ga arimasu. "Yes, there is./Yes, there is a TV set "

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



I Things near a train station



1 takushi-noriba

2 basu-noriba

3 kōban

4. byōin

5. hon-ya

6. pan-ya

7 saka-ya

8. kusuri-ya

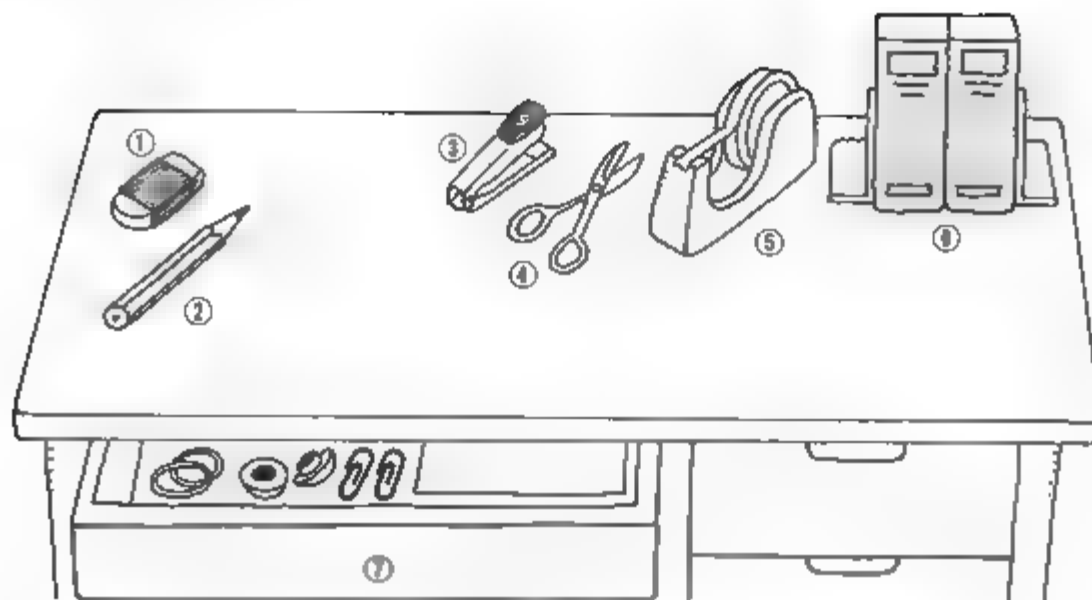
— VOCABULARY

takushi-noriba tax stand
basu-noriba bus terminal
kōban police box
byōin hospital, clinic

hon-ya bookstore
pan-ya bakery
pan bread
saka-ya liquor store

kusuri-ya drugstore
kusuri medicine

II. Office supplies



1 keshigomu

2 empitsu

3 hotchikisu

4 hasami

5 sero-têpu

6 fairu

7 hikidashi

II. Numbers of people

	hitori
	futari
	san-nin
	yo-nin
	go-nin
?	nan-nin

NOTE: Other than **hitori** and **futari**, numbers of people from now on will be expressed with numerals. **3-nin**, **4-nin**, etc.

keshigomu eraser
empitsu pencil
hotchikisu stapler
hasami scissors

sero-têpu Scotch tape
fairu file
hitori one person
futari two people

san-nin three people
-nin person (counter)
nan-nin how many people

KEY SENTENCES

1. Tēburu no ue ni biru ga 2-hon arimasu.
2. Kombini no mae ni otoko no hito ga futari imasu.
3. Takushi-noriba wa eki no chikaku ni arimasu.
4. Yubinkyoku wa ano biru no naka desu.

- 1 There are two bottles of beer on the table
- 2 There are two men in front of the convenience store
- 3 The taxi stand is in the vicinity of the station
- 4 The post office is inside that building over there

EXERCISES



Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses.

A. State how many of a certain object are in a drawer

ex. Hikidashi no naka ni pen ga 5-hon arimasu.

- 1 (meishi, 3-mai)
- 2 (keshigomu, futatsu)
- 3 (hairu, takusan)

B. State how many people are in front of a building.

ex. Kombini no mae ni otoko no hito ga futari imasu.

- 1 (onna no hito, 3-nin)
- 2 (otoko no ko, hitori)
- 3 (onna no ko, takusan)



1. Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses.

A. Ask and answer how many of a certain object are on a table.

ex. A: Tēburu no ue ni ringo ga ikutsu arimasu ka.
B: Mitsuu arimasu.

1. A: (kitte, nan-mai)
B: (5-mai)
2. A: (biru, nan-bon)
B: (2-hon)

VOCABULARY

takusan
otoko no ko
ko
onna no ko

a lot, many, much
boy
child
girl

ikutsu
nan-mai
nan-bon

how many (small objects)
how many (flat objects)
how many (long, thin objects)

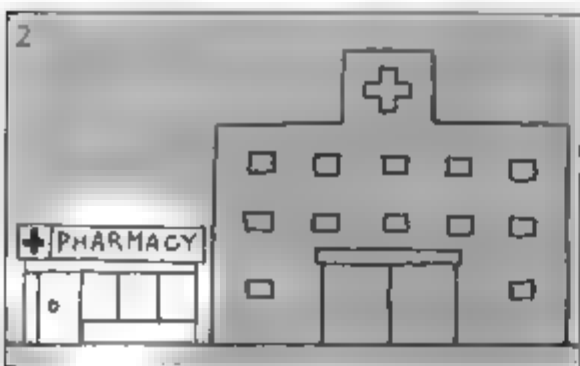
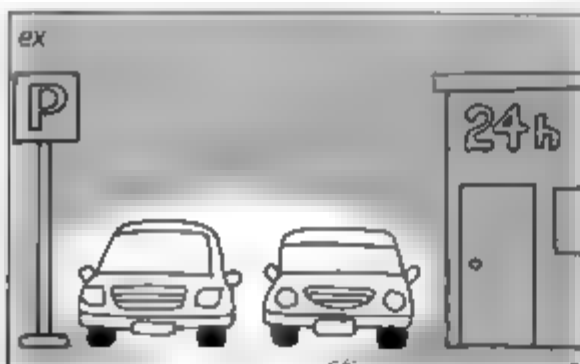
- 3 A: (kôhi-kappu, ikutsu)
 B: (yottsu)

B Ask and answer how many people are in front of a building.

ex A: Ginkō no mae ni otoko no hito ga nan-nin imasu ka.
 B: Hitori imasu.

1. A: (onna no hito)
 B: (4-nin)
 2. A: (otoko no ko)
 B: (futari)
 3. A: (gakusei)
 B: (takusan)

II Indicate where a facility or store is located. Make up sentences following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustrations.



ex Chūshajō wa kombini no tonari ni arimasu.

- 1 (takushi-nonba, eki no mae)
 2 (kusun-ya, byōin no tonari)
 3 (kōban, asoko)



IV Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given.

A. Ask and answer where something is.

ex. A: **Chūshajō wa doko ni arimasu ka.**

B: **Kombini no tonari ni arimasu.**

1. A: **Takushī wa doko ni arimasu ka.** (takushī-noriba)

B: **Eki no mae ni arimasu.** (eki no mae)

2. A: **Hon ya wa doko ni arimasu ka.** (hon-ya)

B: **Depātō no tonari ni arimasu.** (depātō no tonari)

3. A: **Kyō no shimbun wa doko ni arimasu ka.** (kyō no shimbun)

B: **Koko ni arimasu.** (koko)

4. A: **Kuruma wa doko ni arimasu ka.** (kuruma no kag.)

B: **Kaban no naka ni arimasu.** (kaban no naka)

B. Ask and answer where someone is.

ex. A: **Sumisu-san wa doko ni imasu ka.**

B: **2-kai ni imasu.**

1. A: **Takahashi-san wa doko ni imasu ka.** (Takahashi-san)

B: **Niwa ni imasu.** (niwa)

2. A: **Guriin-san wa doko ni imasu ka.** (Guriin-san)

B: **3-gai ni imasu.** (3-gai)

3. A: **Sasak-san wa doko ni imasu ka.** (Sasak-san)

B: **Kaigishitsu ni imasu.** (kaigishitsu)

C. Ask and answer where something or someone is.

ex. A: **Kōban wa doko desu ka.**

B: **Eki no mae desu.**

1. A: **O-teara wa doko ni arimasu ka.** (o-teara)

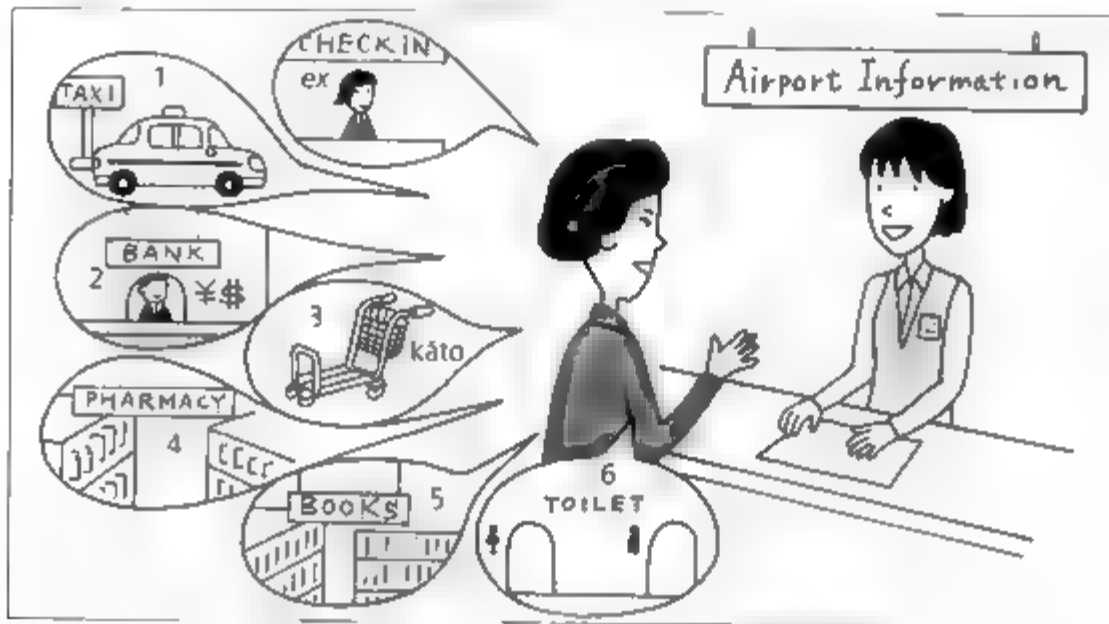
B: **Asoko ni arimasu.** (asoko)

2. A: **Hasam wa doko ni arimasu ka.** (hasam)

B: **Tēburu no ue ni arimasu.** (tēburu no ue)

- 3 A. (biru)
B. (reizōko no naka)
- 4 A. (Sumisu-san)
B. (2-kai)

V Ask where a facility or store at an airport is located. Make up sentences following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustration



ex Chan: Chekkuin-kauntā wa doko ni arimasu ka.

- 1 Chan
2 Chan
3 Chan
4 Chan
5 Chan
6 Chan



VI. **Talk about where a facility is located.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given

ex otoko no hito: Sumimasen. Kono chikaku ni takushi-noriba ga arimasu ka.
 Chan: Ee, arimasu yo.
 otoko no hito: Doko desu ka.
 Chan: Takushi-noriba wa eki no mae desu.
 otoko no hito: Dōmo arigatō gozaimasu.

- 1 otoko no hito: (basutei)
 Chan:
 otoko no hito:
 Chan: (kombini no mae)
 otoko no hito:
- 2 otoko no hito: (yūbinkyoku)
 Chan:
 otoko no hito:
 Chan: (ano biru no naka)
 otoko no hito:
- 3 otoko no hito: (chikatetsu no iriguchi)
 Chan:
 otoko no hito:
 Chan: (asoko)
 otoko no hito:



VI. Listen to the CD and fill in the blank based on the information you hear

Chūshajō wa desu



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I Mr. Kato is looking for today's newspaper

Katō: Kyō no shimbun wa doko ni arimasu ka.

Chan: Koko ni arimasu. Hai, dōzo.

Kato: Where is today's paper?

Chan: It's here. Here you go.

II Mr. Kato calls Mr. Suzuki on his cell phone while Mr. Suzuki is out on a sales visit.

Katō: Suzuki-san. Ima doko desu ka.

Suzuki: Ima Nozomi Depāto ni imasu.

Katō: Nan-ji goro kaisha ni kaerimasu ka.

Suzuki: 3-ji ni kaerimasu.

Kato: Mr. Suzuki, where are you now?

Suzuki: I'm at Nozomi Department Store.

Katō: About what time are you coming back to the office?

Suzuki: I'll be back at 3:00.

nan-ji goro

about/approximately what time

goro

about (used of time; see Note 1 below)

NOTES

1. Nan-ji goro...

The suffix **goro** is used to indicate an approximate point in time. Unlike "about" in English, however, it cannot be used to express an approximate period.



If you're in Japan, go out on the street and ask people if there is a station, department store, post office, etc. in the vicinity.



UNIT

5

DINING OUT

Japanese cuisine is not just sushi and tempura; in fact, most Japanese people only have these dishes occasionally. There are many different kinds of foods in Japan and, consequently, many specialty restaurants. The inexpensive restaurants typically showcase their dishes—sometimes the real thing, but more often than not plastic replicas—in their front windows. Among the most expensive establishments are sushi bars and tempura restaurants. Ginza, an upscale shopping district in Tokyo that features in this unit, is famous for its restaurants and bars.

UNIT 5 GRAMMAR

Verbs That Take a Grammatical Object

person **wa** noun **o** verb

ex **Gurei-san wa eiga o mimasu.** "Mr. Grey will see a movie."

■ The particle **o**

Placed after a noun, **o** indicates that the noun is the object of the sentence. **O** is used with verbs like **mimasu** ("see"), **yomimasu** ("read"), **nomimasu** ("drink"), **kaimasu** ("buy"), and a host of others.

person 1 **wa** person 2 **ni** verb

ex **Gurei-san wa Yoshida-san ni aimasu.** "Mr. Grey will meet Mr. Yoshida."

■ The particle **ni**

The particle **ni** can also serve as an object marker, as in the example here, where Mr. Yoshida is the object of the verb **aimasu** ("meet"). Essentially, **ni** indicates the person or thing an action is directed at.

person 1 **wa** person 2/place **ni** noun **o** verb

ex **Gurei-san wa Yoshida-san ni tegami o kakimashita.**

"Mr. Grey wrote a letter to Mr. Yoshida."

Gurei-san wa taishikan ni tegami o kakimashita.

"Mr. Grey wrote a letter to the embassy."

■ The particle **ni**

With verbs like **tegami o kakimasu** ("write a letter"), **nimotsu o okurimasu** ("send luggage"), and **denwa o shimasu** ("telephone"), **ni** indicates the receiver of the action. In English, the receiver corresponds to the indirect object.

TARGET DIALOGUE

Ms. Sasaki and Mr. Smith are talking about their plans for the weekend

スミス：しゅうまつに なにを しますか。

ささき：どうぶに ともだちと かぶきを みます。

スミス：そうですか。

ささき：スミスさんは？

スミス にちようびに ぎんざで すずきさんと てんぷらを
たべます。

ささき：いいですね。

■ ささきさんは どうぶに ともだちと かぶきを みます。

スミスさんは にちようびに ぎんざで すずきさんと てんぷらを
たべます。

Sumisu. Shūmatsu ni nani o shimasu ka.

Sasaki. Do-yōbi ni tomodachi to Kabuki o mimasu.

Sumisu: Sō desu ka.

Sasaki: Sumisu-san wa?

Sumisu: Nichi-yōbi ni Ginza de Suzuki-san to tempura o tabemasu.

Sasaki: Ii desu ne.

■ Sasaki-san wa do-yōbi ni tomodachi to Kabuki o mimasu.

Sumisu-san wa nichi-yōbi ni Ginza de Suzuki-san to tempura o tabemasu.

Smith: What are you going to do during the weekend?

Sasaki: I'm going to see Kabuki with a friend on Saturday.

Smith: Oh, really?

Sasaki: What about you?

Smith: I'm going to eat tempura in Ginza with Mr. Suzuki on Sunday.

Sasaki: Sounds good.

■ Ms. Sasaki is going to see Kabuki with a friend on Saturday. Mr. Smith is going to eat tempura in Ginza with Mr. Suzuki on Sunday.

VOCABULARY

しゅうまつ

shūmatsu

weekend

します

shimasu

do

かぶき

Kabuki

Kabuki (a traditional form of theater)

みます

mimasu

see

で
てんぷら
たべます

de
tempura
tabemasu

(particle indicating the location where an action takes place)
tempura (deep-fried seafood/vegetables)
eat

NOTES

1. Ginza de Suzuki-san to tempura o tabemasu.

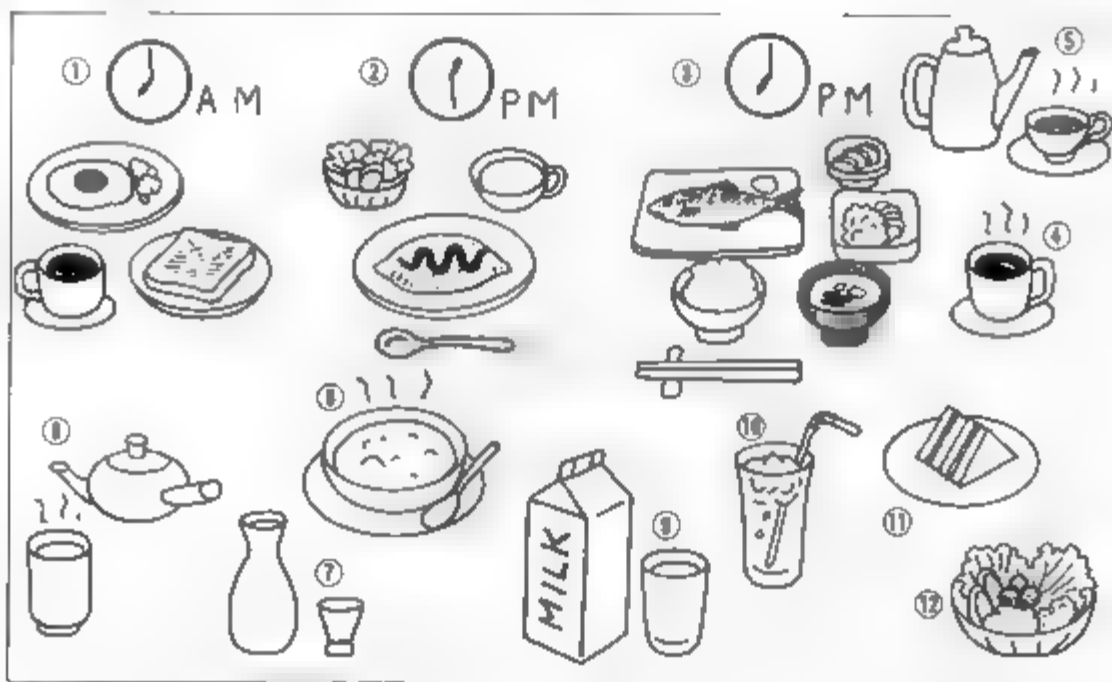
Nouns and place names concerned with actions such as where things are bought, seen, eaten, sold and so on take the particle **de**

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



I. Food



1 asa-gohan
2 hiru-gohan
3 ban-gohan

4 kōhi
5 kōcha
6 o-cha

7 sake
8 sūpu
9 miruku

10 jūsu
11 sandoitchi
12 sarada

GABULARY

asa-gohan breakfast
hiru-gohan lunch
ban-gohan dinner
kōhi coffee

kōcha tea
o-cha green tea
sake sake (Japanese rice wine)
sūpu soup

miruku milk
jūsu juice
sandoitchi sandwich
sarada salad

II. Verbs



1 **tabemasu**



2 **nomimasu**



3 **kaimasu**



4 **yomimasu**



5 **kikimasu**



6 **mimasu**



7 **tenisu o shimasu**



8 **benkyō o shimasu**



9 **kaimono o shimasu**



10 **shigoto o shimasu**

NOTE: For more on the "noun **o shimasu**" verb type see p. 246

III Time expressions

	DAY	MORNING	EVENING	WEEK
every	mainichi	maiasa	maiban	maishū

KEY SENTENCES

1. Sumisu-san wa ashita eiga o mimasu.
2. Sumisu-san wa mainichi jōgingu o shimasu.
3. Sumisu-san wa kinō resutoran de ban-gohan o tabemashita.

1. Mr. Smith is going to see a movie tomorrow.
2. Mr. Smith jogs every day.
3. Mr. Smith ate dinner at a restaurant yesterday.

VOCABULARY

tabemasu eat
nomimasu drink
kaimasu buy
yomimasu read
kikimasu listen (to)

mimasu see
tenisu o shimasu play tennis
benkyō o shimasu study
kaimono o shimasu shop
shigoto o shimasu work

mainichi every day
maiasa every morning
maiban every evening
maishū every week
jōgingu o shimasu jog

mainichi every day
maiasa every morning
maiban every evening
maishū every week
jōgingu o shimasu jog

mainichi every day
maiasa every morning
maiban every evening
maishū every week
jōgingu o shimasu jog

EXERCISES

-  **1 Practice conjugating verbs.** Repeat the verbs below and memorize their forms—present and past, affirmative and negative

	PRESENT FORM		PAST FORM	
	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg</i>	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg.</i>
eat	tabemasu	tabemasen	tabemashita	tabemasendeshita
drink	nomimasu	nomimasen	nomimashita	nomimasendeshita
buy	kaimasu	kaimasen	kaimashita	kaimasendeshita
read	yomimasu	yomimasen	yomimashita	yomimasendeshita
listen (to)	kikimasu	kikimasen	kikimashita	kikimasendeshita
see	mimasu	mimasen	mimashita	mimasendeshita
do	shimasu	shimasen	shimashita	shimasendeshita

-  Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses

A. State what someone will see

ex. Suzuki-san wa terebi o mimasu.

1 _____ (eiga)

2 _____ (Kabuki)

B. State what someone will listen to.

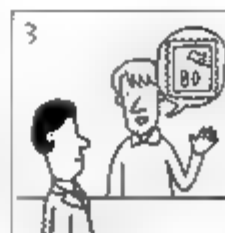
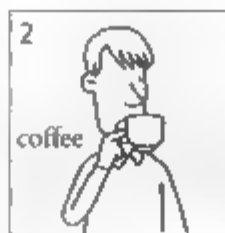
ex. Suzuki-san wa ongaku o kikimasu.

1 _____ (CD)

2 _____ (radio)



- II Make up sentences or dialogues following the patterns of the examples and based on the information in the illustrations



A State what someone will do.

ex Sumisu-san wa sutēki o tabemasu.

1

2

3

4

B Ask and answer what someone will do.

ex. A: Sumisu-san wa nani o tabemasu ka.

B: Sutēki o tabemasu.

1 A

B

2 A

B

3 A

B

4 A

B



- IV Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given.

A State where someone will drink beer.

ex. Suzuki-san wa uchi de biru o nomimasu.

1

(resutoran)

2

(hoteru no bā)

B State where someone will buy a magazine.

ex. Suzuki-san wa hon-ya de zasshi o kaimasu.

1. _____ (kombini)

2. _____ (kukô)



V Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples and based on the information in the illustrations.



A. State where someone will do something.

ex. Sumisu-san wa resutoran de ban-gohan o tabemasu.

1

2

3

■

B Ask and answer where someone will do something.

ex. A: Sumisu-san wa doko de ban-gohan o tabemasu ka.

B: Resutoran de tabemasu.

1 A

■

2. A.

■

3 A

B

4 A

B



VI *State what someone does regularly.* Make up sentences following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustrations



ex Katō-san wa mainichi inu to sampo o shimasu.

1

2

3



VII *Talk about the events of a weekend.* Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example
Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given

ex. Katō: Shūmatsu ni nani o shimashita ka.
Sumisu: Tomodachi to gorufu o shimashita.
Katō: Doko de shimashita ka.
Sumisu: Hakone de shimashita.
Katō: Sō desu ka.

1. Katō

Sumisu

(Gurīn-san, tenisu)

Katō

Sumisu

(hoteru no tenisu-kōto,

Katō

2. Katō

Sumisu

(Suzuki-san, kaimono)

Katō

Sumisu

(Ginza no depāto)

Katō

VOCABULARY

inu

dog

sampo o shimasu

go for a walk

yasai-jūsu

vegetable juice

gorufu o shimasu

play golf

yasai

vegetable

tenisu-kōto

tennis court

okusan

(another person's) wife



VII Listen to the CD and fill in the blanks based on the information you hear.

- 1 Chan-san wa Kamakura de _____ o mimashita.
- 2 Chan-san wa _____ hiru-gohan o tabemashita.

SHORT DIALOGUE



Mr. Suzuki phones the tempura specialty restaurant Tenmasa to make a reservation.

mise no hito: Temmasa de gozaimasu.
 Suzuki: Yoyaku o onegaishimasu.
 mise no hito: Hai, arigatō gozaimasu.
 Suzuki: Nichi-yōbi no 7-ji ni onegaishimasu. Futari desu.
 mise no hito: Hai, wakarimashita. Dewa, o-namae to o-denwa-bangō o onegaishimasu.

restaurant employee: This is Tenmasa.
 Suzuki: I'd like to make a reservation.
 restaurant employee: All right. Thank you.
 Suzuki: Sunday at seven o'clock, please, for two people.
 restaurant employee: Yes. Well, then, please give me your name and telephone number.

VOCABULARY

Temmasa de gozaimasu	this is Tenmasa (speaking on the phone)
Temmasa	Tenmasa (fictitious restaurant name)
de gozaimasu	(humble form of <i>desu</i>)
yoyaku	reservation
wakarimashita	understood; I see; I understand
wakarimasu	understand
o-namae	(another person's) name (polite word for <i>namae</i>)

NOTES

1. Yoyaku o onegaishimasu.

This is the phrase to use when you want to make a reservation. **Onegaishimasu** can be used to order food or drink, too.

ex **Kōhi o onegaishimasu** "I'll have (a cup of) coffee, please."



1. Talk to someone about your plans for the weekend.
2. Tell someone about what you did the previous weekend.



TARGET DIALOGUE

Mr. Smith and Mr. Suzuki have arrived at a tempura restaurant in Ginza

みせの ひと：いらっしゃいませ。

すずき：すずきです。

みせの ひと：すずきさまですね。どうぞ こちらへ。

スミス (a few moments later, at the table) いい みせですね。

すずきさんは よく この みせに きますか。

すずき：ええ、ときどき きます。おいしいですから。

スミス (fifteen minutes later, after their dishes have arrived) すずきさん、

この さかなは なんですか。

すずき：キスです。

スミス：おいしいですね。

■ スミスさんは すずきさんと ぎんざの てんぷらやに いました。

スミスさんは すずきさんに さかなの なまえを ききました。

mise no hito: Irasshaimase.

Suzuki: Suzuki desu.

mise no hito: Suzuki-sama desu ne. Dôzo kochira e.

Sumisu: (a few moments later, at the table) ii mise desu ne. Suzuki-san wa yoku kono mise ni kimasu ka.

Suzuki: Ee, tokidoki kimasu. Oishii desu kara.

Sumisu: (fifteen minutes later, after their dishes have arrived) Suzuki-san, kono sakana wa nan desu ka.

Suzuki: Kisu desu.

Sumisu: Oishii desu ne.

■ Sumisu-san wa Suzuki-san to Ginza no tempura-ya ni ikimashita. Sumisu-san wa Suzuki-san ni sakana no namae o kikimashita.

restaurant employee: Welcome

Suzuki: I'm Suzuki

restaurant employee: Oh, Mr. Suzuki. Right this way, please

Smith: This is a nice restaurant, isn't it? Do you come to this restaurant often, Mr. Suzuki?

Suzuki: Yes, I come sometimes. Because (this restaurant's tempura) is so delicious.

Smith: Mr. Suzuki, what's this fish?

Suzuki. It's whiting
Smith. It's delicious, isn't it?

- Mr. Smith went to a tempura restaurant in Ginza with Mr. Suzuki. Mr. Smith asked Mr. Suzuki the name of the fish.

VOCABULARY

すずきさま	Suzuki-sama	Mr. Suzuki
〜さま	-sama	Mr., Ms., Mrs., Miss (more polite than -san)
よく	yoku	often (see Appendix I, p. 248)
ときどき	tokidoki	sometimes (see Appendix I, p. 248)
おいしいです	oishii desu	be delicious, be tasty
から	kara	because (particle)
さかな	sakana	fish
キス	kisu	whiting (kind of fish) (note: Names of fish, fruits, vegetables, etc. are sometimes written in katakana.)
てんぷらや	tempura-ya	tempura restaurant
ききます	kikimasu	ask

NOTES

1. (Kono mise no tempura wa) oishii desu kara.

Kara follows a sentence or clause that explains the reason for something. Here, the topic phrase **kono mise no tempura wa** is being omitted. (For more on **kara**, see Note 3, p. 142.)

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



I Verbs



1 denwa o shimasu



2 kakimasu



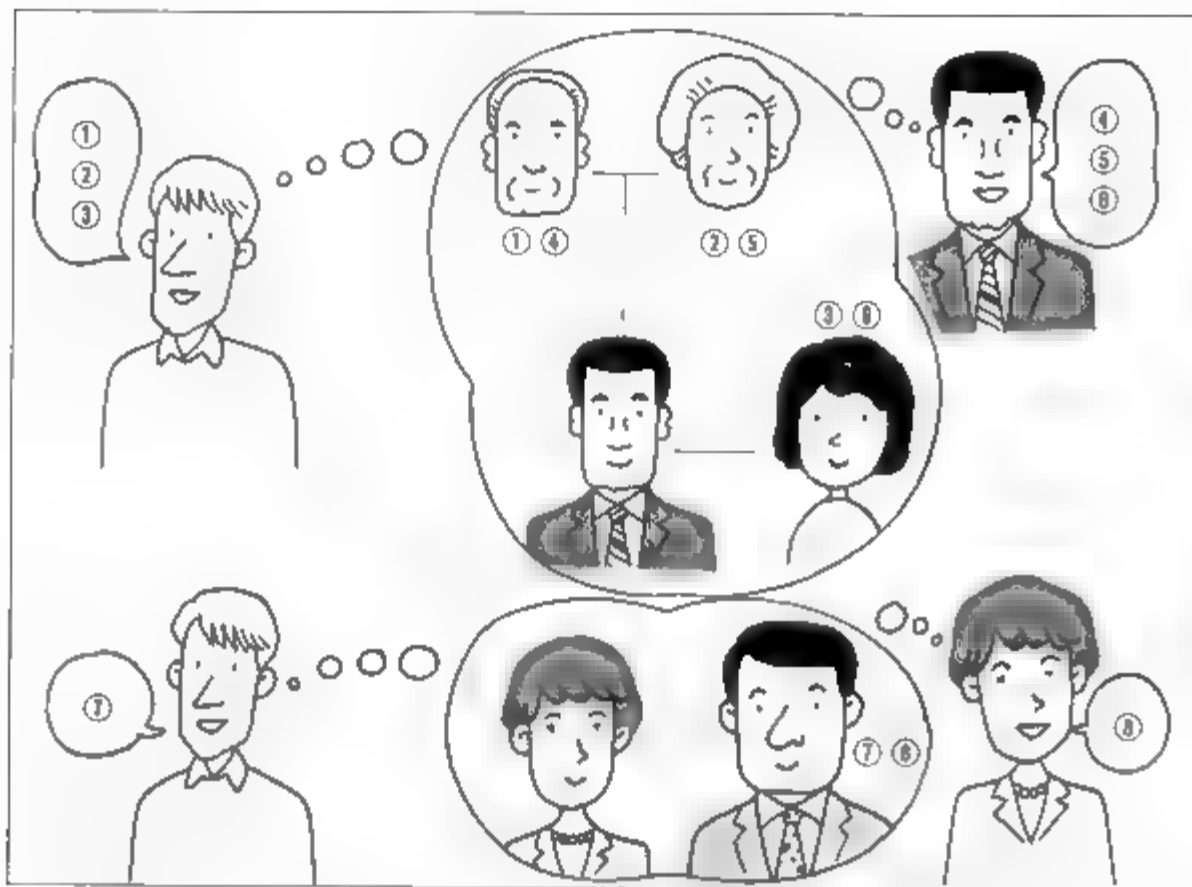
3 okurimasu



4 aimasu

VOCABULARY

denwa o shimasu	telephone
kakimasu	write
okurimasu	send
aimasu	meet



- 1 Takahashi-san no otôsan
- 2 Takahashi-san no okâsan
- 3 Takahashi-san no okusan
- 4 chichi

- 5 haha
- 6 tsuma/kanai
- 7 Sasaki-san no go-shujin
- 8 otto/shujin

KEY SENTENCES

1. Sumisu-san wa tomodachi ni denwa o shimasu.
2. Sumisu-san wa ashita Takahashi-san ni aimasu
3. Chan-san wa yoku okâsan ni tegami o kakimasu.
4. Chan-san wa amari terebi o mimasen.

- 1 Mr. Smith is going to phone a friend
- 2 Mr. Smith is going to see Mr. Takahashi tomorrow
- 3 Ms. Chan often writes letters to her mother
- 4 Ms. Chan doesn't watch television very much

VOCABULARY

otôsan (another person's) father
okâsan (another person's) mother
okusan (another person's) wife
chichi (my) father

haha (my) mother
tsuma/kanai (my) wife
go-shujin (another person's) husband
go- (phonetic prefix)

otto/shujin (my) husband
tegami letter
amari not much (see Appendix I, p. 248)
-masen

EXERCISES



- I **Practice conjugating verbs.** Repeat the verbs below and memorize their forms—present and past, affirmative and negative

	PRESENT FORM		PAST FORM	
	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg.</i>	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg</i>
telephone	denwa o shimasu	denwa o shimasen	denwa o shimashita	denwa o shimasen-deshita
write	kakimasu	kakimasen	kakimashita	kakimasendeshita
send	okurimasu	okurimasen	okurimashita	okurimasendeshita
meet	aimasu	aimasen	aimashita	aimasendeshita



Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses

- A. **State whom someone will write to.**

ex Sumisu-san wa tomodachi ni tegami o kakimasu.

- 1 (otōsan)
- 2 (Takahashi-san)
- 3 (taishikan)

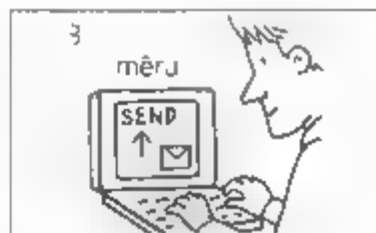
- B. **State whom someone will telephone.**

ex Sumisu-san wa resutoran ni denwa o shimasu.

- 1 (okāsan)
- 2 (kaisha no hito)
- 3 (Nozomi Depāto)



III Make up sentences or dialogues following the patterns of the examples and based on the information in the illustration



A. State who will write to, call, or e-mail whom.

ex 1 Sumisu-san wa Takahashi-san ni tegami o kakimasu.

ex 2 Sumisu-san wa ginkō ni tegami o kakimasu.

1 1)

2)

3)

4)

2 1)

2)

3)

4)

3 1)

2)

3)

4)

B. Ask and answer who will write to, call, or e-mail whom.

ex. 1 A: Sumisu-san wa dare ni tegami o kakimasu ka.

B: Takahashi-san ni kakimasu.

ex. 2 A: Sumisu-san wa doko ni tegami o kakimasu ka.

B: Ginkō ni kakimasu.

1. 1) A. _____

B. _____

2) A. _____

B. _____

3) A. _____

B. _____

4) A. _____

B. _____

2. 1) A. _____

B. _____

2) A. _____

B. _____

3) A. _____

B. _____

4) A. _____

B. _____

3. 1) A. _____

B. _____

2) A. _____

B. _____

3) A. _____

B. _____

4) A. _____

B. _____



IV **Describe a schedule.** Make up sentences following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the planner

ex.	Mon.	4:00	Tôkyô Eki	Suzuki-san
1.	Tue.	10:00	Nozomi Depâtô	Takahashi-san
2.	Wed.	7:00	Resutoran Rôma	Sasaki-san no go-shûjin
3.	Thu.	11:00	Sapporo-shisha	shisha no hito
4.	Fr.	6:30	hoteru no robi	Nakamura-san

ex. **Sumisu-san wa getsu-yôbi no 4-ji ni Tôkyô Eki de Suzuki-san ni aimasu.**

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4



V **Give a qualified answer in response to a question.** Answer the questions below using the words in parentheses and the appropriate verb

ex. **A: Sumisu-san wa yoku biru o nomimasu ka.**

B: Hai, yoku nomimasu.

1. **A: Takahashi-san wa yoku sushi o tabemasu ka**

B: (hai, tokidoki)

2. **A: Suzuki-san wa yoku tomodachi ni denwa o shimasu ka**

B: (ie, amari -masen)

3. **A: Chan-san wa yoku eiga o mimasu ka**

B: (ie, zenzen . . . -masen)



VI **Give a reason for an answer.** Answer the questions below using the example as a guide. Substitute the underlined word with the words in parentheses

ex. **A: Sumisu-san wa yoku tenisu o shimasu ka.**

B: Hai. Uchi no chikaku ni tenisu-kôto ga arimasu kara.

1. **A: Sasaki-san wa yoku sampo o shimasu ka**

B: Hai (kôen)

2. **A: Chan-san wa yoku sushi o tabemasu ka.**

B: Hai (sushi-ya)

VOCABULARY

Resutoran Rôma

Sapporo-shisha

Sapporo

robi

Restaurant Roma (fictitious restaurant name)
Rome

Sapporo (branch) office

Sapporo (city on the island of Hokkaido)

lobby

sushi

zenzen . . . -masen

sushi-ya

sushi

not at all
(see Appendix I, p. 248.)

sushi restaurant



VII **Order at a restaurant.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustration



ex. **Sumisu:** Bīru o 2-hon onegaishimasu.
mise no hito: Hai.

1. Sumisu
mise no hito
2. Sumisu
mise no hito.
3. Sumisu
mise no hito



VIII *Talk about a weekend plan.* Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given.

- ex Suzuki: Kondo no shūmatsu ni nani o shimasu ka.
 Chan: Shibuya Toshokan ni ikimasu.
 Suzuki: Chan-san wa yoku Shibuya Toshokan ni ikimasu ka.
 Chan: Ee, Eigo no bideo ga takusan arimasu kara.

1 Suzuki

Chan: (ABC Supōtsu-club)

Suzuki: (ABC Supōtsu-club)

Chan: (mashin)

2 Suzuki

Chan: (Resutoran Doragon)

Suzuki: (Resutoran Doragon)

Chan: (kuni no ryōri)



IX Listen to the CD and fill in the blank based on the information you hear.

Chan-san wa yoku okāsan ni masu

SHORT DIALOGUES



I Mr. Green comes to the restaurant Tenmasa with his wife

Gurin: Sumimasen. Matsu-kōsu o futatsu onegaishimasu

mise no hito: Hai. O-nomimono wa?

Gurin: Nama-biru o futatsu onegaishimasu.

mise no hito: Hai.

Green: Excuse me, two "pine" meals please

restaurant employee: All right. What about a beverage?

Green: Two draft beers, please

restaurant employee: All right

VOCABULARY

matsu-kōsu "pine" meal (the most expensive set meal at a traditional restaurant)

o-nomimono beverage

nama-biru draft beer

VOCABULARY

kondo this coming

mashin machine

Resutoran Doragon Restaurant Dragon (fictitious restaurant name)

kuni (my) country

ryōri cooking, cuisine

II. Mr. Green pays for his meal at Tenmasa. He needs a receipt

Gurin: Sumimasen. O-kanjō o onegaishimasu.

mise no hito: Hai.

Gurin: Sumimasen. Ryōshūsho o onegaishimasu.

mise no hito: Hai. O-namae wa?

Green: Excuse me, I'd like the check, please

restaurant employee: All right

Green: Excuse me. I'd like a receipt.

restaurant employee: All right. What is your name?

VOCABULARY

o-kanjō

bill, check

ryōshūsho

receipt (requiring signature from the restaurant or store where the purchase was made and usually necessary when applying for reimbursement of expenses incurred)

Active
Communication

Go to a restaurant and try ordering food and a beverage in Japanese.

I Fill in the blank(s) in each sentence with the appropriate particle. Where a particle is not needed, write in an X.

1. Tēburu no ue ni hana () shimbun ga arimasu. (Hint: There are other things in addition to these two.)
2. Yūbinkyoku no mae () onna no hito () otoko no ko ga imasu. (Hint: No one else is there.)
3. 1-ka ni dare () imasu ka.
Sumisu-san () imasu.
4. Basu-noriba () doko () arimasu ka.
Depāto () mae desu.
5. Takahashi-san wa ashita kaisha no hito () Ōsaka () ikimasu.
6. Sumisu-san wa Sasaki-san () denwa o shimashita.
7. Takahashi-san wa kaisha no chikaku no resutoran () hiru-gohan () tabemashita.
8. Watashi wa basu () uchi () kaenimasu.
9. Watashi wa maiasa () uchi () shimbun () yomimasu.
10. Sumisu-san wa itsu () N.hon ni kimashita ka.
5-gatsu 18-nichi () kimashita.
11. Yoku tenisu o shimasu ka.
Ee, uchi no chikaku ni tenisu-kōto ga arimasu (). (Hint: This sentence is giving the reason.)

II Complete each question by filling in the blank(s) with the appropriate word.

1. Hon-ya no mae ni () ga imasu ka.
Takahashi-san no okusan ga imasu.
2. Takushī-noriba wa () desu ka.
Asoko desu.
3. Eki no chikaku ni () ga arimasu ka.
Basu-noriba ya yūbinkyoku ya depāto ga arimasu.
4. Tēburu no ue ni ningo ga () arimasu ka.
Mittsu arimasu.
5. Eki no mae ni otoko no hito ga () imasu ka.
Futari imasu.
6. Chan-san no tanjōbi wa () desu ka.
1-gatsu 29-nichi desu.
7. () ga Kyōto-shisha ni denwa o shimashita ka.
Sumisu-san ga shimashita.
8. Takahashi-san wa kinō () ni ikimashita ka.
Kūkō ni ikimashita.
9. () ni Buraun-san ni aimashita ka.
3-ji ni aimashita.
10. Buraun-san wa () Amerika ni kaenmashita ka.
Senshū no do-yōbi ni kaenmashita.

- 11 Kinō () o shimashita ka.
 Tegami o kakimashita.
 () ni kakimashita ka.
 Haha ni kakimashita.

III Choose one of the two words in parentheses to complete the sentence in a way that makes sense in the context

- 1 Tēburu no ue ni shashin ya hon ga (arimasu, imasu).
- 2 Isu no ue ni nani mo (arimasu, arimasen).
- 3 Yoku Resutoran Sakura ni ikimasu ka.
 Iie, amari (ikimasu, ikimasen)
- 4 Tokidoki terebi o (mimasu, mimasen) ka.
 Iie, zenzen (mimasu, mimasen).
- 5 Chan-san wa (yoku, amari) tomodachi ni denwa o shimasu



UNIT

6

VISITING A JAPANESE HOME

In Japan, it is usual to offer guests green tea and Japanese sweets, or *wagashi*. *Wagashi* convey a sense of the seasons. The soft, moist sweets given in spring, for example, are modeled on cherry blossom flowers, while summer *wagashi* take the form of refreshing jellies made from adzuki beans and agar. *Wagashi* are perfect for both entertaining guests and appreciating the seasons. They also make nice gifts. Throughout Japan there are confectionaries that specialize in these unique treats. Some of the oldest and most successful ones have been in business for centuries.

UNIT 6 GRAMMAR

Adjectives

adjective + noun

ex. **Sakura wa kireina hana desu.** "Cherry blossoms are pretty flowers."

noun **wa** adjective **desu**

ex. **Gurei-san no uchi wa ôkii desu.** "Mr. Grey's house is big."

Japanese adjectives can either modify nouns by directly preceding them, or act as predicates. In this they resemble English adjectives. There are two kinds of adjectives: **-i** adjectives and **-na** adjectives.

MODIFYING NOUN: ADJECTIVE + NOUN		
-i ADJ.	ôkii kôen	big park
-na ADJ.	kireina hana	pretty flower

Unlike English adjectives, Japanese adjectives are inflected for tense and mood as shown below.

AS PREDICATE: ADJECTIVE + DESU				
	PRESENT FORM		PAST FORM	
	<i>aff.</i>	<i>neg.</i>	<i>aff.</i>	<i>neg.</i>
-i ADJ.	ôkii desu	ôkikunai desu	ôkikatta desu	ôkikunakatta desu
-na ADJ.	kirei desu	kirei dewa arimasen	kirei deshita	kirei dewa arimasen-deshita

Giving and Receiving

person 1 **wa** person 2 **ni** noun **o** **agemasu**

ex. **Okada-san wa Gurei-san ni tokei o agemashita.** "Ms. Okada gave Mr. Grey a watch."

person 1 **wa** person 2 **ni** noun **o** **moraimasu**

ex. **Gurei-san wa Okada-san ni tokei o moraimashita.**
"Mr. Grey received a watch from Ms. Okada."

The sentence pattern used with the verbs **agemasu** ("give") and **moraimasu** ("receive") is the same as the one introduced in Unit 5: "person 1 **wa** person 2 **ni** noun **o** verb." With **agemasu**, the person who is given something is marked by the particle **ni**, and the thing he or she is given is marked by **o**. But with **moraimasu**, **ni** indicates the giver rather than the receiver. Here **ni** corresponds to "from."
NOTE: **Agesasu** cannot be used in the sense of "someone gives something to me (the speaker)." For this meaning, the verb **kuremasu** is used.



TARGET DIALOGUE

TRACE
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Mr. Smith has been invited to the home of his client Mr. Takahashi for the first time

たかはし：おちゃを どうぞ。

スミス：ありがとうございます。

たかはし：おかしは いかがですか。

スミス：はい、いただきます。 きれいな おかしですね。

にほんの おかしですか。

たかはし：ええ、そうです。

スミス：とても おいしいです。

たかはし：おちゃを もう 1ばい いかがですか。

スミス：いいえ、もう けっこうです。

■ スミスさんは たかはしさんの うちで きれいな にほんの おかしを
たべました。おちゃを 1ばい のみました。

Takahashi: O-cha o dōzo.

Sumisu: Arigatō gozaimasu.

Takahashi: O-kashi wa ikaga desu ka.

Sumisu: Hai, itadakimasu. Kireina o-kashi desu ne. Nihon no o-kashi desu ka.

Takahashi: Ee, sō desu.

Sumisu: Totemo oishii desu.

Takahashi: O-cha o mō 1-pai ikaga desu ka.

Sumisu: Iie, mō kekkō desu.

■ Sumisu-san wa Takahashi-san no uchi de kireina Nihon no o-kashi o tabemashita.
O-cha o 1-pai nomimashita.

Takahashi: Have some tea

Smith: Thank you.

Takahashi: How about some sweets?

Smith: Yes, I'll have some. These are pretty sweets. Are they Japanese sweets?

Takahashi: Yes, they are.

Smith: They're very tasty.

Takahashi: How about another cup of tea?

Smith: No thanks, I'm fine.

■ Mr. Smith ate some pretty Japanese sweets at Mr. Takahashi's home. He drank one cup of tea.

どうぞ	dôzo	please (see Note 1 below)
おかし	o-kashi	sweets
いかがですか	ikaga desu ka	how about . . . ? (see Note 2 below)
いただきます	itadakimasu	(said before eating; see Note 3 below)
きれい (な)	kiraina	pretty
とても	totemo	very
1ぱい	1-pai (=ippai)	one cup
〜はい／ぱい／ぱい	-hai/-bai/-pai	cupful, glassful (counter)
いいえ、もう けっこうです	ie, mô kekkô desu	no thank you, I'm fine (see Note 4 below)
けっこうです	kekkô desu	no thank you

NOTES

1. O-cha o dôzo.

"(Thing) o dôzo" ("please help yourself to . . .") is used to offer something to someone.

2. O-kashi wa ikaga desu ka.

Ikaga desu ka is often used when politely offering things like food or drink. It means "would you like one?" or "how about some?"

3. Hai, itadakimasu.

This phrase is spoken when taking something that is offered. It implies both acceptance and gratitude.

4. Iie, mô kekkô desu.

This is a polite way of refusing a second helping of food or drink. If you want to refuse the first time you are offered something, say **ie, kekkô desu**.

WORD POWER



1. -i adjectives



1 ōkii desu



2 chiisai desu



3 takai desu



4 yasui desu



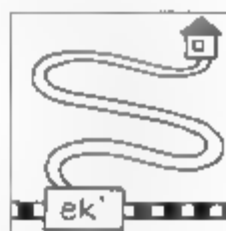
5 atarashii desu



6 furui desu



7 chikai desu



8 tōi desu



9 muzukashii desu



10 yasashii desu



11 amai desu



12 karai desu



13 atsui desu



14 samui desu



15 ii desu



16 omoshiroi desu



17 isogashii desu



18 oishii desu

VOCABULARY

ōkii desu big
chiisai desu small
takai desu expensive
yasui desu inexpensive
atarashii desu new, fresh

furui desu old (not used of people)
chikai desu near
tōi desu far

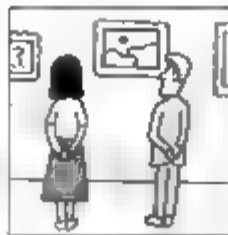
muzukashii desu difficult
yasashii desu easy
amai desu sweet
karai desu hot, spicy
atsui desu hot

samui desu cold
ii desu good, nice
omoshiroi desu interesting
isogashii desu busy
oishii desu delicious

II. -na adjectives



1 nigiyaka desu



2 shizuka desu



3 benri desu



4 yūmei desu



5 kirei desu



6 shinsetsu desu



7 hima desu

KEY SENTENCES

1. Takahashi-san no uchi wa atarashii desu.
2. Kore wa omoshiroi hon desu.
3. Tōkyō no chikatetsu wa benri desu.
4. Sumisu-san wa senshū yūmeina resutoran de shokuji o shimashita

- 1 Mr. Takahashi's house is new
- 2 This is an interesting book
- 3 The Tokyo subway is convenient
- 4 Mr. Smith had a meal at a famous restaurant last week

EXERCISES



1 Practice conjugating -i adjectives. Repeat the adjectives below and memorize their forms

	AS PREDICATE PRESENT FORM		MODIFYING NOUN
	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg</i>	
big	ōkii desu	ōkikunai desu	ōkii
small	chiisai desu	chiisakunai desu	chiisai
expensive	takai desu	takakunai desu	takai
inexpensive	yasui desu	yasukunai desu	yasui

	AS PREDICATE PRESENT FORM		MODIFYING NOUN
	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg</i>	
new fresh	atarashii desu	atarashikunai desu	atarashii
old	furui desu	furukunai desu	furui
near	chikai desu	chikakunai desu	chikai
far	tōi desu	tōkunai desu	tōi
difficult	muzukashii desu	muzukashikunai desu	muzukashii
easy	yasashii desu	yasashikunai desu	yasashii
sweet	amai desu	amakunai desu	amai
hot, spicy	karai desu	karakunai desu	karai
hot	atsui desu	atsukunai desu	atsui
cold	samui desu	samukunai desu	samui
good, nice	ii desu	yokunai desu	ii
interesting	omoshiroi desu	omoshirokunai desu	omoshiroi
busy	isogashii desu	isogashikunai desu	isogashii
delicious	oishii desu	oishikunai desu	oishii



- II **State a thing's characteristic.** Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given.

ex. **Kono kuruma wa ōkii desu.**

1. Kono kamera wa yasui desu. (kono kamera, yasui desu)
2. Takahashi-san no uchi, atarashii desu.



- I **Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples.** Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given. Be sure to use the same grammatical forms as in the examples.

A. **Ask and answer how something tastes.**

ex. **A: Sukiyaki wa oishii desu ka.**

B: Hai, oishii desu.

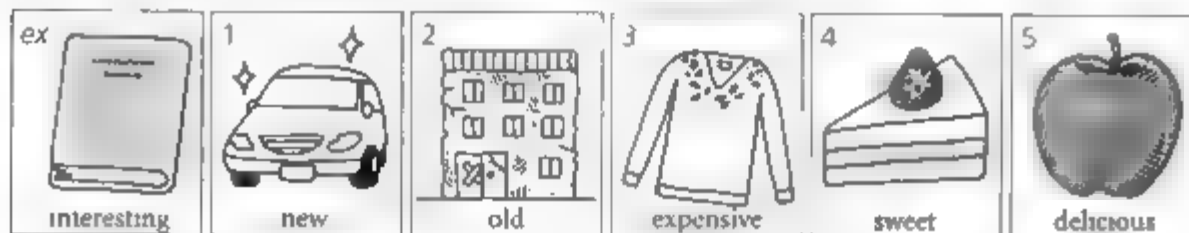
1. **A:** Kono kēki, amai desu. (kono kēki, amai desu)
B: amai desu. (amai desu)
2. **A:** Kono karē, karai desu. (kono karē, karai desu)
B: karai desu. (karai desu)

B Ask and give one's opinion about something.

ex A: Nihon-go wa muzukashii desu ka.
B: Iie, muzukashikunai desu.

- | | | |
|---|---|------------------------------|
| 1 | A | (kono gēmu, omoshiroi desu.) |
| | B | (omoshiroi desu) |
| 2 | A | (ano jisho, ii desu.) |
| | B | (ii desu) |

 V Describe something. Make up sentences following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustrations



ex Kore wa omoshiroi hon desu.

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
-

 V Practice conjugating -na adjectives. Repeat the adjectives below and memorize their forms

	AS PREDICATE PRESENT FORM		MODIFYING NOUN
	aff.	neg	
very	nigiyaka desu	nigiyaka dewa arimasen	nigiyakana
quiet	shizuka desu	shizuka dewa arimasen	shizukana
convenient	benri desu	benri dewa arimasen	benrina
famous	yūmei desu	yumei dewa arimasen	yūmeina
pretty, clean	kirei desu	kirei dewa arimasen	kireina
kind, helpful	shinsetsu desu	shinsetsu dewa arimasen	shinsetsuna
free, not busy	hima desu	hima dewa arimasen	himana



V **Describe someone or something.** Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given.

ex. Howaito-san wa shinsetsu desu.

1 (Gurin-san no okusan, kirei desu)

2 (Tōkyō no chikatetsu, beni desu)



VII. Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined part(s) with the alternatives given.

A. **Ask and give one's opinion about a place.**

ex. A: Ano resutoran wa shizuka desu ka.

B: Hai, shizuka desu.

1. A: (Roppongi, nigiyaka desu)

B: (nigiyaka desu)

2. A: (ano kōen, kirei desu)

B: (kirei desu)

B. **Ask and answer whether one is free.**

ex. A: Ashita hima desu ka.

B: Iie, hima dewa arimasen. Isogashii desu.

1. A: (ashita no gogo)

B:

2. A: (asatte no ban)

B:



VIII **Describe a restaurant where someone had a meal.** Make up sentences following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustrations.



ex. Sumisu-san wa senshū yūmeina resutoran de shokuji o shimashita.

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IX. Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses

A. Ask and give one's opinion about a hotel.

ex. A: Tōkyō Hoteru wa kireina hoteru desu ka.
B: Hai, kireina hoteru desu.

- A: 東京ホテルはきれい(きれい)なホテルですか。(atarashii)
B: はい、きれい(きれい)なホテルです。(atarashii)

2. A: 〆ホテルはきれい(きれい)なホテルですか。(ōki)
B: はい、きれい(きれい)なホテルです。(ōki)

B. Ask and give one's opinion about a restaurant.

ex. A: Resutoran Ginza wa yūmeina resutoran desu ka.
B: Iie, yūmeina resutoran dewa arimasen.

- A: 〆レストランはいい(いい)レストランですか。(shizukana)
B: いいえ、いい(いい)レストランではありません。(shizukana)

2. A: 〆レストランはいい(いい)レストランですか。(ii)
B: いいえ、いい(いい)レストランではありません。(ii)

C. Ask and give one's opinion about a place.

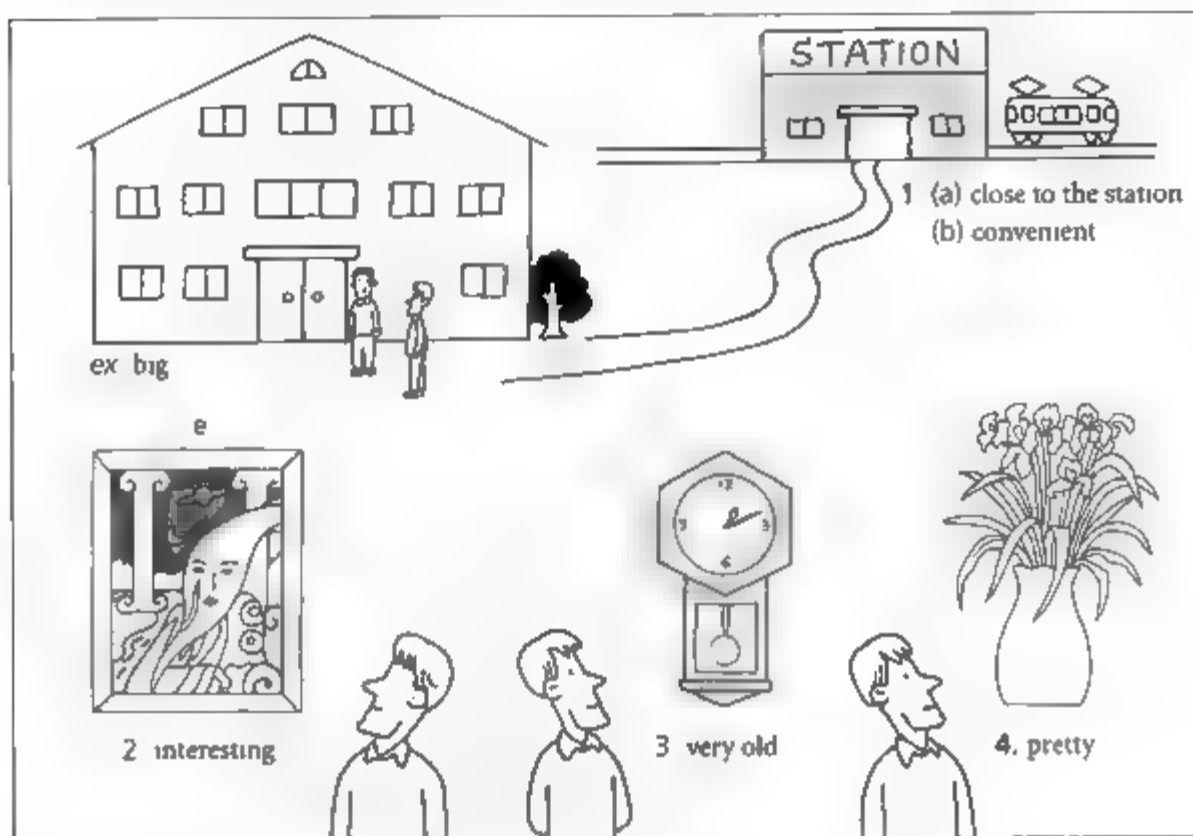
ex. A: Shūmatsu ni Nikkō ni ikimasu.
B: Nikkō wa donna tokoro desu ka.
A: Kireina tokoro desu yo.

- A: 新年は〆(Asakusa)に行きます。
B: 〆(Asakusa)はどんなところですか。
A: きれいなところ(Asakusa)です。

2. A: 新年は〆(Odaiba)に行きます。
B: 〆(Odaiba)はどんなところですか。
A: きれいなところ(omoshiroi)です。



- X. **Compliment someone's possessions.** Mr. Smith is visiting Mr. Takahashi's house. Compliment Mr. Takahashi's house and the things (numbered in the picture) he owns, assuming the role of Mr. Smith. Make up sentences following the pattern of the example.



ex. Sumisu: Ôkii uchi desu ne.

1. Sumisu: (a)

(b)

2. Sumisu

3. Sumisu

4. Sumisu



XI. Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given.

A Talk about the weather.

ex. Sumisu: **Kyō wa ii tenki desu ne.**
Takahashi: **Ee, hontō ni ii tenki desu ne.**

1. Sumisu: (atsui)

Takahashi: (atsui)

2. Sumisu: (samui)

Takahashi: (samui)

B Ask and answer whether a facility is far from where one is.

ex. Chan: **Sumimasen. Chikatetsu no eki wa koko kara tōi desu ka.**
otoko no hito: **Iie, tōkunai desu. Aruite 5-fun gurai desu yo.**
Chan: **Sō desu ka. Arigatō gozaimasu.**

1. Chan: (basutei)

otoko no hito

Chan

2. Chan: (kōen)

otoko no hito

Chan



XII Listen to the CD and fill in the blank based on the information you hear

Hakone wa tokoro desu



I Mr. Smith visits Mr. Takahashi's home. He rings the security system intercom.

Takahashi: Hai.

Sumisu: Sumisu desu.

Takahashi: A, chotto matte kudasai. (Takahashi goes to answer the door.)

Takahashi: Yoku irasshaimashita.

Sumisu: Ojamashimasu.

Takahashi: Yes?

Mr. Smith: It's me, Smith.

Takahashi: Oh, please wait a minute. (Takahashi goes to answer the door.)

Takahashi: Welcome!

Mr. Smith: May I come in? (lit., "I'm going to disturb you.")



chotto matte kudasai	please wait a minute
chotto	a little bit
yoku irasshaimashita	welcome
ojamashimasu	may I come in? (said when entering someone's home)

II. Mr. Smith is at an antique shop in Tokyo.

Sumisu: Kore wa ikura desu ka.

mise no hito: 8,000-en desu.

Sumisu: Chotto takai desu ne.

mise no hito: Kore wa 6,500-en desu.

Sumisu: Ja, sore o kudasai.

Smith: How much is this?

salesperson: It's 8,000 yen.

Smith: It's a little bit expensive.

salesperson: This is 6,500 yen.

Smith: Well then, I'll have that one.



Start a conversation with someone by talking about the weather. Say whether it is a nice day, a cold day, or a hot day. Refer to Exercise XI-A as necessary.



TARGET DIALOGUE

TRACK 48

Mr. Takahashi and Mr. Smith are talking about the flower vase that Mr. Takahashi received from Ms. Hoffman.

スミス：きれいな かびんですね。

たかはし ええ、たんじょうびに ともだちの ホフマンさんに
もらいました。

スミス：いい いろですね。

たかはし：ええ、わたしの すきな いろです。

■ たかはしさんは たんじょうびに ホフマンさんに かびんを
もらいました。

Sumisu: Kireina kabin desu ne.

Takahashi: Ee, tanjōbi ni tomodachi no Hofuman-san ni moraimashita.

Sumisu: Ii iro desu ne.

Takahashi: Ee, watashi no sukina iro desu.

■ Takahashi-san wa tanjōbi ni Hofuman-san ni kabin o moraimashita.

Smith: That's a pretty vase, isn't it?

Takahashi: Yes, received it from my friend Ms. Hoffman for my birthday.

Smith: That's a nice color, isn't it?

Takahashi: Yes, it's my favorite color.

■ Mr. Takahashi received a vase for his birthday from Ms. Hoffman.

VOCABULARY

かびん

kabin

vase

もらいました

moraimashita

received

もらいます

moraimasu

receive

いろ

iro

color

すきな

sukina

favorite (-na adj.)

NOTES

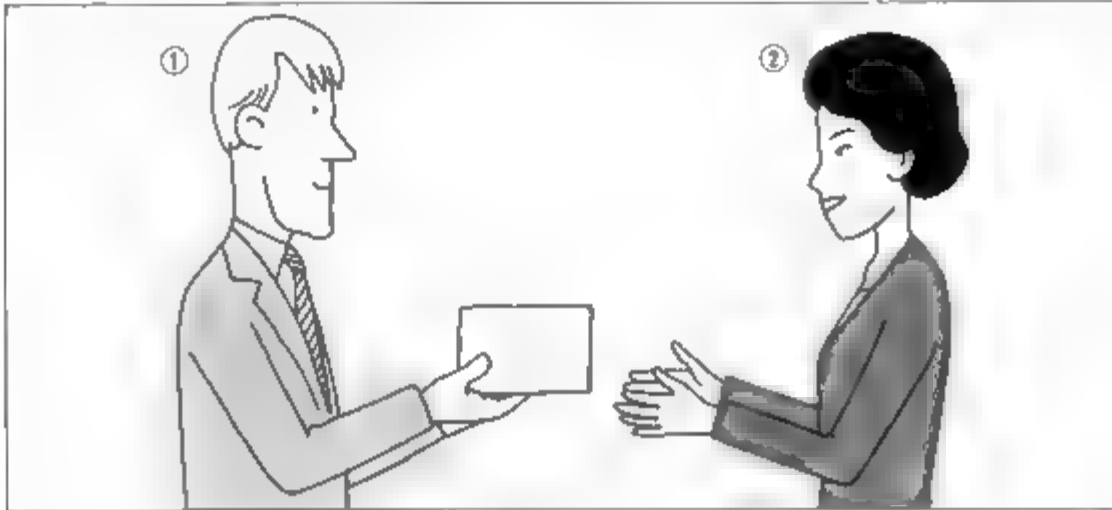
1. Tomodachi no Hofuman-san

This **no** is not possessive but appositive "my friend Ms. Hoffman."

WORD POWER



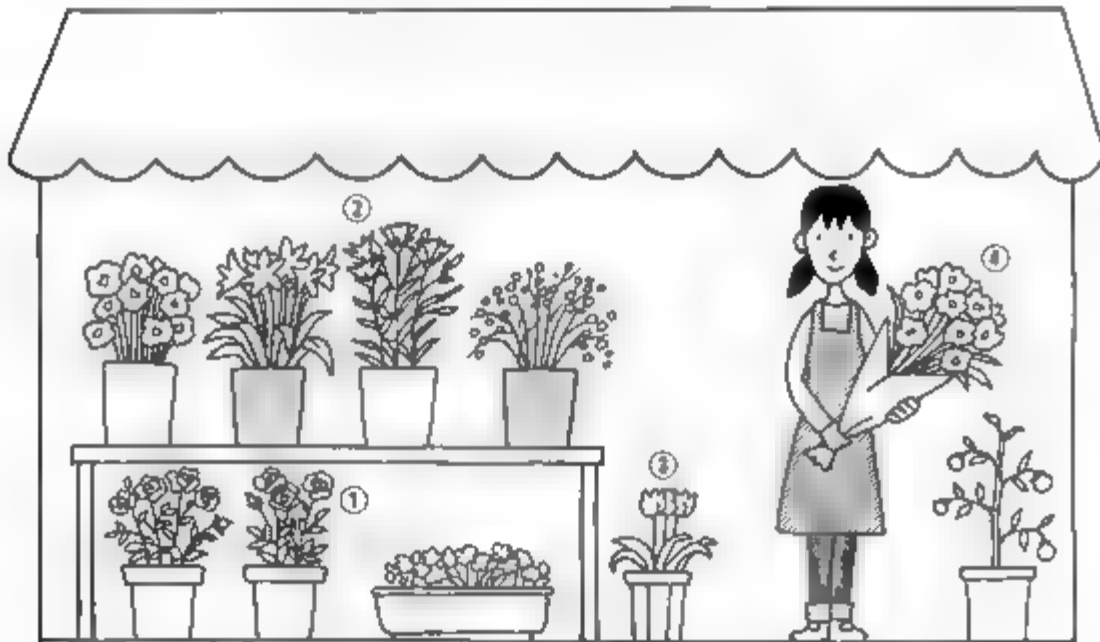
I. Verbs



1 agemasu

2 moraimasu

II Flower vocabulary



1 bara

2 kâneshon

3 chûrippu

4 hanataba

VOCABULARY

agemasu

moraimasu

bara

kâneshon

give

receive

rose

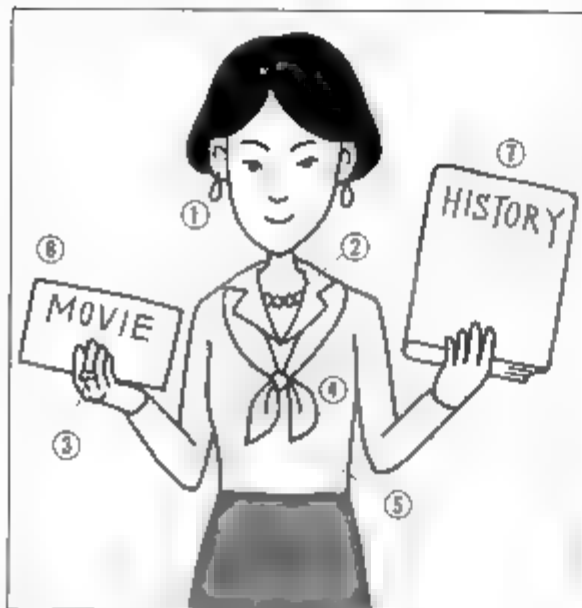
camellia

chûrippu

hanataba

tulip

bouquet



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|-------------|------------------|----------------------|
| 1 iyaringu | 5 burausu | 8 bôshi |
| 2 nekkuresu | 6 eiga no kippu | 9 nekutai |
| 3 yubiwa | 7 rekishi no hon | 10 kôto |
| 4 sukâfu | | 11 Kyôto no o-miyage |

KEY SENTENCES

1. Sumisu-san wa Chan-san ni hana o agemashita.
2. Chan-san wa Sumisu-san ni hana o moraimashita.

- 1 Mr. Smith gave Ms. Chan some flowers
- 2 Ms. Chan received some flowers from Mr. Smith

EXERCISES



Practice conjugating verbs. Repeat the verbs below and memorize their forms—present and past, affirmative and negative

	PRESENT FORM		PAST FORM	
	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg.</i>	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg.</i>
give	agemasu	agemasen	agemashita	agemasendeshita
receive	moraimasu	moraimasen	moraimashita	moraimasendeshita

iyaringu	earring	burausu	blouse	nekutai	necktie
nekkuresu	necklace	kippu	ticket	kôto	coat
yubiwa	ring	rekishi	history	o-miyage	gift souvenir
sukâfu	scarf	bôshi	hat, cap		



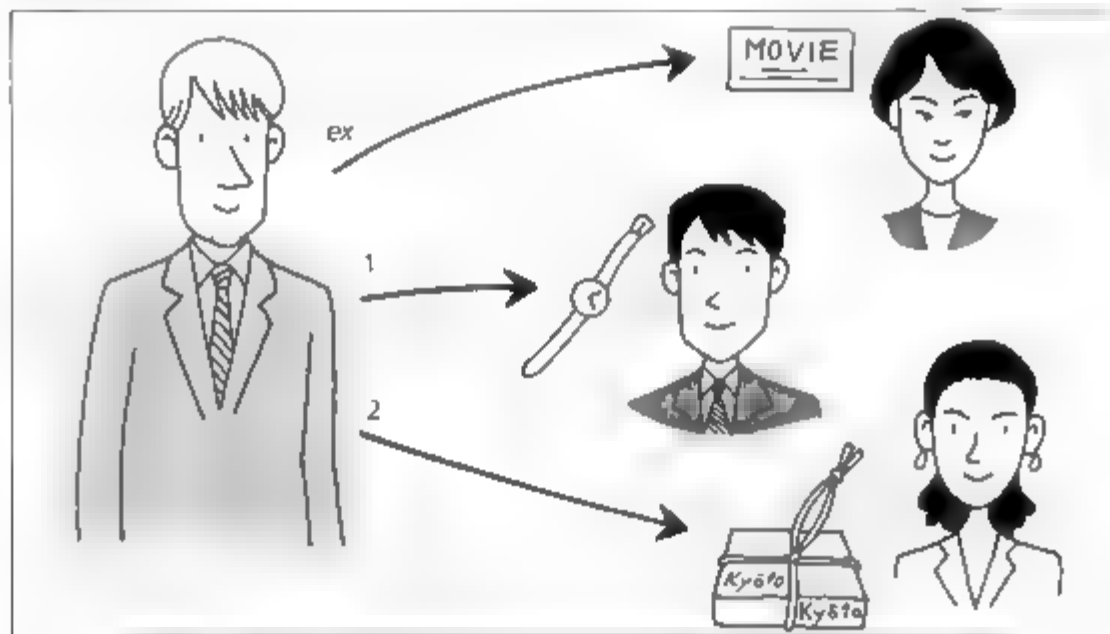
- ii. **State what someone will give to, or receive from, another** Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given

ex **Sumisu-san wa Chan-san ni hana o agemasu.**
Chan-san wa Sumisu-san ni hana o moraimasu.

- 1 (kirei na hana)
 2 (eiga no kippu)
 3 (rekishi no hon)



- i. **Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples and based on the information in the illustration**



A. Ask and answer whom someone gave something to.

ex **A: Sumisu-san wa dare ni eiga no kippu o agemashita ka.**
B: Chan-san ni agemashita.

1 A.

B

2 A.

B

B. Ask and answer whom someone received something from.

ex **A: Chan-san wa dare ni eiga no kippu o moraimashita ka**
B: Sumisu-san ni moraimashita.

1 A.

B

2 A.

B

C Ask and answer what someone gave to another.

ex A. Sumisu-san wa Chan-san ni nani o agemashita ka.

B: Eiga no kippu o agemashita.

1 A

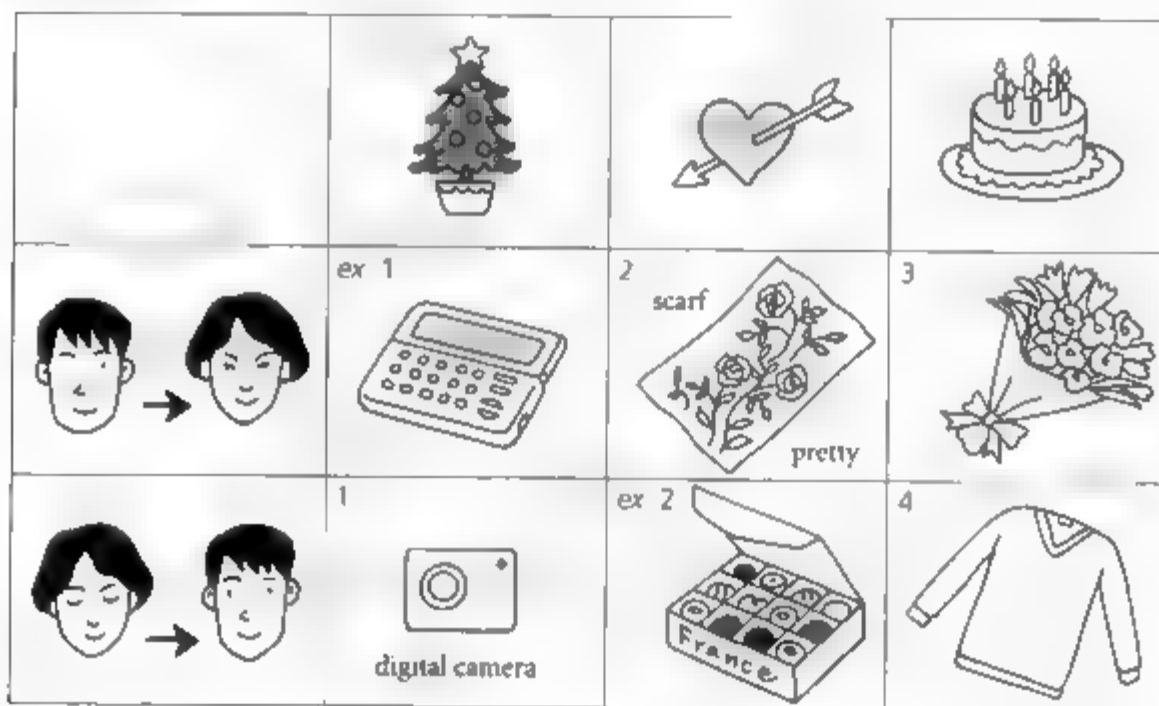
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2 A.

B



IV Make up sentences or dialogues following the patterns of the examples and based on the information in the illustration



A State who gave what to whom, and who received what from whom, on a specific day.

ex 1 Suzuki-san wa Kurisumasu ni Chan-san ni denshi-jisho o agemashita.

Chan-san wa Kurisumasu ni Suzuki-san ni denshi-jisho o moraimashita.

1

2

B Ask and answer what someone gave to another on a specific day.

ex 1 **A:** Suzuki-san wa Kurisumasu ni Chan-san ni nani o agemashita ka.
B: Denshi-jisho o agemashita.

1 A

B

2 A

B

C Ask and answer whom someone gave something to on a specific day.

ex 1 **A:** Suzuki-san wa Kurisumasu ni dare ni denshi-jisho o agemashita ka.
B: Chan-san ni agemashita.

1 A

B

2 A

B

D Ask and answer when someone gave something to another

ex 1 **A:** Suzuki-san wa itsu Chan-san ni denshi-jisho o agemashita ka.
B: Kurisumasu ni agemashita.

1 A

B

2 A

B

E Ask and answer what someone received on a specific day.

ex 2 **A:** Suzuki-san wa Barentaindê ni Chan-san ni nani o moraimashita ka
B: Furansu no chokorêto o moraimashita.

3 A

B

4 A

B

F Ask and answer whom someone received something from on a specific day.

ex 2 **A:** Suzuki-san wa Barentaindê ni dare ni Furansu no chokorêto o moraimashita ka.
B: Chan-san ni moraimashita.

3 A

B

4 A

B

G Ask and answer when someone received something from another.

ex. 2 A: Suzuki-san wa itsu Chan-san ni Furansu no chokorēto o moraimashita ka.
B: Barentaindē ni moraimashita.

3 A

B

4 A

B



V Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given

A. Ask someone whether he or she will give a birthday present to another.

ex Chan: Katō-san, ashita wa Sumisu-san no tanjōbi desu ne. Sumisu-san ni purezento o agemasu ka.
Katō: Ee, nekutai o agemasu.
Chan: Sō desu ka.

1 Chan: _____ (Gurin-san)

Katō: _____ (rekishi no hon)

Chan

2 Chan: _____ (okusan)

Katō: _____ (atarashi kaban)

Chan

B. Talk about presents to be given on special occasions.

ex Sumisu: Katō-san, Haha no hi ni okāsan ni nani o agemasu ka.
Katō: Akai kănēshon o agemasu.
Sumisu: Sō desu ka.

1 Sumisu: _____ (Chichi no hi, otōsan)

Katō: _____ (dejikame)

Sumisu

2 Sumisu: _____ (kekkon-kinembi, okusan)

Katō: _____ (bara no hanataba)

Sumisu

C. Talk about an article someone is wearing.

ex. Ms. Chan has a new necklace

Suzuki: Kireina nekkuresu desu ne.

Chan: Ee, tanjōbi ni tomodachi ni moraimashita.

Suzuki: Yoku naimasu ne.

Chan: Arigatō gozaimasu.

1 Suzuki: (ir token)

Chan: (Kurisumasu)

Suzuki

Chan

2 Suzuki: (kireina sukāfu)

Chan: (tanjōbi)

Suzuki

Chan



VI Listen to the CD and answer the question based on the information you hear

SHORT DIALOGUES



1 Mr. Smith is visiting Mr. Takahashi's house today. He glances at his watch.

Sumisu: Ja, sorosoro shitsureishimasu.
Kyō wa dōmo arigatō gozaimashita.

Takahashi: Dō itashimashite.

Smith: Well, I'll have to be leaving soon.
Thank you for (inviting me) today.

Takahashi: You're welcome.

sorosoro shitsureishimasu

it's time to be going, I'd better get going

sorosoro

in just a short while

dōmo arigatō gozaimashita

thank you very much (used to thank someone who has done you a favor or shown you kindness)

Mrs. Matsui, who lives next door to the Greens, has received a bunch of peaches from a friend, so she brings some to Mrs. Green.

Matsui: Tomodachi ni momo o takusan moraimashita. Kore, dōzo.

Gurin: Dōmo arigatō gozaimasu.

Matsui received a lot of peaches from a friend. Please take some

Green: Thank you very much.

VOCABULARY

momo peach

**Active
communication**

Notice an item of clothing or an accessory that someone else is wearing and compliment him or her on it. Refer to Exercise V-C as necessary.

TARGET DIALOGUE

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Mr. Smith, who visited Mr. Takahashi's house yesterday, phones Mr. Takahashi. Before getting to the point of the call, Mr. Smith thanks Mr. Takahashi for his hospitality.

スミス：もしもし、たかはしさんの おたくですか。

たかはし：はい、そうです。

スミス：スミスです。

たかはし：あ、スミスさん。

スミス：きのうは どうも ありがとうございます。とても
たのしかったです。

たかはし：いいえ、どういたしまして。わたしたちも たのしかったです。
どうぞ また きてください。

スミス：どうも ありがとうございます。

■ スミスさんは たかはしさんの うちに でんわを しました。

Sumisu: Moshimoshi, Takahashi-san no o-taku desu ka.

Takahashi: Hai, sô desu.

Sumisu: Sumisu desu.

Takahashi: A, Sumisu-san.

Sumisu: Kinô wa dômo arigatô gozaimashita. Totemo tanoshikatta desu.

Takahashi: Iie, dô itashimashite. Watashitachi mo tanoshikatta desu. Dôzo mata kite
kudasai.

Sumisu: Dômo arigatô gozaimasu.

■ Sumisu-san wa Takahashi-san no uchi ni denwa o shimashita.

Smith: Hello, is this the Takahashi residence?

Takahashi: Yes, it is.

Smith: This is Smith.

Takahashi: Oh, Mr. Smith.

Smith: Thank you very much for yesterday. It was a lot of fun.

Takahashi: Oh, you're welcome. We had a lot of fun, too. Please come again.

Smith: Thank you very much.

■ Mr. Smith phoned Mr. Takahashi's home.

たのしかったです
たのしいです
わたしたち
また
きてください

tanoshikatta desu	was fun
tanoshii desu	be fun
watashitachi	we
mata	again
kite kudasai	please come

NOTES

1. Takahashi-san no o-taku

When speaking politely about your listener's house, use **o-taku** instead of **uchi**

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



I. -i adjectives



1 tanoshii desu



2 tsumaranai desu



3 warui desu

II Events



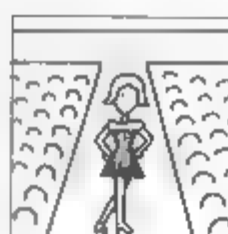
1 o-matsuri



2 konsāto



3 bāgen-sēru



4 shō

Glossary

tanoshii desu
tsumaranai desu
warui desu
o-matsuri

fun, enjoyable
boring, tedious
bad
festival

konsāto
bāgen-sēru
shō

concert
clearance sale
show

KEY SENTENCES

1. Kinō wa samukatta desu.
2. Kinō no o-matsuri wa nigiyaka deshita.

- 1 It was cold yesterday
- 2 Yesterday's festival was lively

EXERCISES



- I Repeat the adjectives below and memorize their forms—present and past, affirmative and negative.

A. Practice conjugating -i adjectives.

	PRESENT FORM		PAST FORM	
	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg</i>	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg</i>
cold	samui desu	samukunai desu	samukatta desu	samukunakatta desu
hot	atsui desu	atsukunai desu	atsukatta desu	atsukunakatta desu
fun	tanoshii desu	tanoshikunai desu	tanoshikatta desu	tanoshikunakatta desu
good	ii desu	yokunai desu	yokatta desu	yokunakatta desu
bad	warui desu	warukunai desu	warukatta desu	warukunakatta desu
interesting	omoshiroi desu	omoshirokunai desu	omoshirokatta desu	omoshiroku-nakatta desu
tasty	oishii desu	oishikunai desu	oishikatta desu	oishikunakatta desu
boring	tsumaranai desu	tsumaranakunai desu	tsumaranakatta desu	tsumaranaku-nakatta desu

B. Practice conjugating -na adjectives.

	PRESENT FORM		PAST FORM	
	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg</i>	<i>aff</i>	<i>neg</i>
pretty	kirei desu	kirei dewa arimasen	kirei deshita	kirei dewa arimasendeshita
quiet	shizuka desu	shizuka dewa arimasen	shizuka deshita	shizuka dewa arimasendeshita
lively	nigiyaka desu	nigiyaka dewa arimasen	nigiyaka deshita	nigiyaka dewa arimasendeshita



- 1 Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given, using the same grammatical forms as in the examples.

A. Give one's opinion about a movie.

ex. Kinō no eiga wa omoshirokatta desu.

1 (ii desu)

2 (tanoshii desu)

B. Give one's opinion about a party.

ex. Kinō no pāti wa tanoshikunakatta desu.

1 (omoshiroi desu)

2 (ii desu)

C. Give one's opinion about a show.

ex. Kinō no shō wa kirei deshita.

(nigiyaka desu)

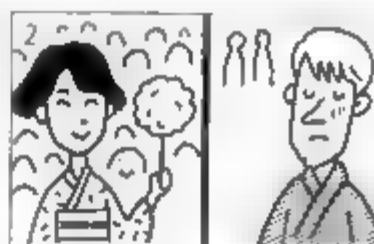
D. Give one's opinion about a festival.

ex. Kinō no o-matsuri wa nigiyaka dewa arimasendeshita.

(kirei desu)



- 1 Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples and based on the information in the illustrations. Use the words in parentheses as a guide.



A. Ask someone's opinion about an experience.

ex. Nakamura: Kinō no eiga wa omoshirokatta desu ka.

Chan: Hai, omoshirokatta desu.

Sumisu: Iie, omoshirokunakatta desu.

1 Nakamura: (pāti no ryōri, oishii desu)

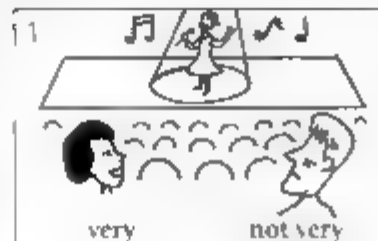
Chan

Sumisu

2 Nakamura: (o-matsuri, nigiyaka desu)

Chan

Sumisu



B Ask and give one's opinion about an experience.

ex **Katō:** Kinō no pāti wa dō deshita ka.
Chan: Totemo tanoshikatta desu.
Sumisu: Amari tanoshikunakatta desu.

- 1 **Katō:** (konsāto)
Chan: (ii desu)
Sumisu: (ii desu)
- 2 **Katō:** (bāgen-sēru)
Chan: (yasui desu)
Sumisu: (yasui desu)



IV Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given, using the same grammatical forms as in the examples.

A. Use appropriate expressions when giving or receiving gifts.

ex **Chan:** Shūmatsu ni Kyōto ni ikimashita. Kore, Kyōto no o-miyage desu. Dōzo.
Suzuki: Arigatō gozaimasu. Kyōto wa dō deshita ka.
Chan: Totemo kirei deshita.

- 1 **Chan:** (Sapporo)
Suzuki: (Sapporo)
Chan: (samui desu)
- 2 **Chan:** (Hakone no onsen)
Suzuki: (onsen)
Chan: (tanoshii desu)

B Thank someone for a gift one received.

ex Ms Chan received a box of chocolates from Ms Nakamura on her birthday

Chan: Nakamura-san, chokorēto o arigatō gozaimashita. Totemo oshikatta desu.
Nakamura: Sō desu ka. Yokatta desu.

1 Chan

(konsāto no kippu, tanoshi desu)

Nakamura

2 Chan

(kabuki no hon, omoshiroi desu)

Nakamura

C Make a telephone call.

ex Suzuki: Moshimoshi, Nakamura-san no o-taku desu ka.
Nakamura-san no kazoku: Hai, sō desu.
Suzuki: Suzuki desu. Mayumi-san wa irasshaimasu ka.
Nakamura-san no kazoku: Hai Chotto o-machi kudasai.

1 Suzuki:

~~~~~ (Sasaki-san)

Sasaki-san no kazoku

Suzuki:

~~~~~ (okusan)

Sasaki-san no kazoku

2 Suzuki:

~~~~~ (Katō-san)

Katō-san no kazoku

Suzuki:

~~~~~ (go-shujin)

Katō-san no kazoku



V Listen to the CD and fill in the blanks based on the information you hear

Chan-san wa _____ ni o-matsuri o mimashita. O-matsuri wa totemo _____



The morning after receiving some peaches from Mrs. Matsui, Mrs. Green happens to run into Mrs. Matsui. She thanks her for the peaches.

Gurin: Ohayō gozaimasu.

Matsui: Ohayō gozaimasu.

Gunn: Kinō wa momo o arigatō gozaimashita. Totemo oishikatta desu.

Matsui: Sō desu ka. Yokatta desu.

Green: Good morning.

Matsui: Good morning.

Green: Thank you for the peaches you gave us yesterday. They were very tasty.

Matsui: Were they? That's good.



Ask people for their impressions of places, movies, or other things or events. Refer to Exercise III.

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UNIT

7

GOING TO A FESTIVAL

The Japanese calendar is lined with seasonal festivals and events. Seasonal festivals such as cherry blossom viewing in spring and firework displays in the heat of summer are held to appreciate nature at its best. Festivals to celebrate a good harvest are held mainly in autumn, whereas those meant to invoke one are held in spring. At these fêtes, people carry around portable shrines, or *o-mikoshi*, and the men often wear *happi* coats designating neighborhood associations. Many festivals attract large crowds, and famous ones such as the Sapporo Snow Festival or the Gion Festival in Kyoto are always packed with people.

UNIT 7 GRAMMAR

Inviting Someone to Do Something and Making Suggestions

verb-masen ka

verb-mashō

ex. Issho ni Asakusa ni ikimasen ka.

"Won't you go to Asakusa with (me)?/What do you say to going to Asakusa together?"

Ee/Hai, ikimashō. "Yes, let's go."

The verb-masen ka pattern is used to invite someone to do something. Appropriate replies are as follows

1 Acceptance

a Ee/Hai, verb-mashō. "Yes, let's {verb}."

b Ee/Hai, zehi. "Yes, I'd love to."

2 Refusal Zannen desu ga, tsugō ga warui desu.

"I'm sorry, but it wouldn't be convenient (for me)."

The verb-mashō pattern is generally translatable as "let's."

verb-mashō ka

ex. Doko de almashō ka. "Where should we meet?"

The verb-mashō ka pattern is used to invite someone to decide a time, place, etc. for something

Offering to Do Something

verb mashō ka

ex. Nimotsu o mochimashō ka. "Shall I carry your luggage?"

The verb-mashō ka pattern is also used when offering to do something for someone. Appropriate replies are as follows

1. Acceptance: Ee/Hai, onegaishimasu. "Yes, please."

2. Refusal: Iie, kekkō desu. "No, thank you."



TARGET DIALOGUE

TARGET
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Mr. Kato invites Mr. Smith to a festival in Asakusa

かとう スミスさん、こんしゅうの 토요일に あさくさで おまつりが あります。いっしょに いきませんか。

スミス：いいですね。いきましょう。なんで いきましょうか。

かとう：ちかてつで いきませんか。

スミス：そう しましょう。どこで あいましょうか。

かとう：あさくさえきの かいさつぐちで あいませんか。

スミス：はい。なんじに あいましょうか。

かとう：10じは どうですか。

スミス：10じですね。じゃ、 토요일に。

■こんしゅうの 토요일に あさくさで おまつりが ありますから、スミスさんは かとうさんと あさくさに いきます。

Katô: Sumisu-san, konshû no do-yôbi ni Asakusa de o-matsuri ga arimasu. Issho ni ikimasen ka.

Sumisu: Ii desu ne. Ikimashô. Nan de ikimashô ka.

Katô: Chikatetsu de ikimasen ka.

Sumisu: Sô shimashô. Doko de aimashô ka.

Katô: Asakusa Eki no kaisatsuguchi de aimasen ka.

Sumisu: Hai. Nan-ji ni aimashô ka.

Katô: 10-ji wa dô desu ka.

Sumisu: 10-ji desu ne. Ja, do-yôbi ni.

■Konshû no do-yôbi ni Asakusa de o-matsuri ga arimasu kara, Sumisu-san wa Katô-san to Asakusa ni ikimasu.

Kato: Mr. Smith, there is a festival in Asakusa this Saturday. Won't you go with me?

Smith: That would be nice. Let's go. How should we go?

Kato: Would you like to go by subway?

Smith: Let's do that. Where should we meet?

Kato: Would you like to meet at the ticket gate at Asakusa Station?

Smith: All right. What time should we meet?

Kato: How about 10:00?

Smith: 10:00, then. Well, I'll see you on Saturday.

■On Saturday there is a festival in Asakusa, so Mr. Smith is going to Asakusa with Mr. Kato.

| | | |
|---------|---------------|---|
| あります | arimasu | there is/are going to be (see Note 1 below) |
| いっしょに | issho ni | together |
| いきませんか | ikimasen ka | won't you go (with me)? |
| いきましょう | ikimashō | let's go |
| いきましょうか | ikimashō ka | shall we go? |
| あさくさえき | Asakusa Eki | Asakusa Station |
| かいさつぐち | kaisatsuguchi | ticket gate |
| どうですか | dō desu ka | how is ...? |
| から | kara | because (particle; see Note 3 below) |

NOTES

1. Asakusa de o-matsuri ga arimasu.

Arimasu can also be used in the sense of "take place" or "happen." The place where the event happens is followed by the particle **de**.

2. Ja, do-yōbi ni

Do-yōbi ni is short for **do-yōbi ni aimashō**, "let's meet on Saturday." Japanese people often refer to the next meeting rather than saying good-bye.

ex. **Ja, mata ashita.** "Well then, (see you) again tomorrow."

3. Konshū no do-yōbi ni Asakusa de o-matsuri ga arimasu kara, Sumisu-san wa Katō-san to Asakusa ni ikimasu.

This complex sentence consists of two clauses. The first clause, ending with the particle **kara**, expresses a reason for what is stated in the second clause.

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



I. Events.



1 hanabi-taikai



2 yuki-matsuri



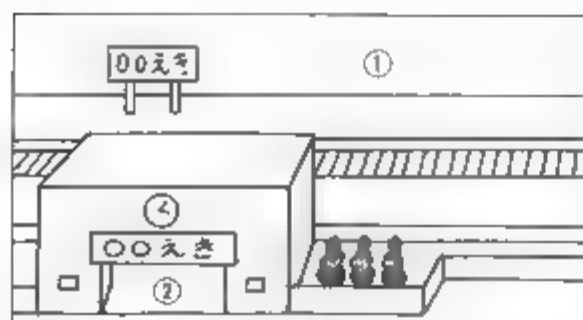
3 sakkā no shiai

hanabi-taikai fireworks display
hanabi fireworks
taikai large gathering

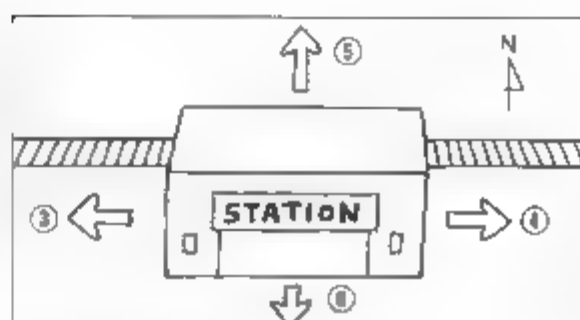
yuki-matsuri snow festival
yuki snow

sakkā soccer
shiai game match

II Parts of a station



- 1 hōmu
2 iriguchi



- 3 nishiguchi
4 higashiguchi
5 kitaguchi
6 minamiguchi

III Variations on the -masu form

| | go | see | do | meet |
|------------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|
| V-masu | ikimasu | mimasu | shimasu | aimasu |
| V-mashō | ikimashō | mimashō | shimashō | aimashō |
| V-mashō ka | ikimashō ka | mimashō ka | shimashō ka | aimashō ka |
| V-masen ka | ikimasen ka | mimasen ka | shimasen ka | aimasen ka |

KEY SENTENCES

1. Shūmatsu ni Issho ni eiga o mimasen ka.
2. Eiga o mimashō.
3. Nani o tabemashō ka.
4. Do-yōbi ni Asakusa de o-matsuri ga arimasu.
5. 2-kai ni resutoran ga arimasu kara, resutoran de shokuji o shimasen ka.

- 1 Would you like to see a movie with me over the weekend?
- 2 Let's see a movie
- 3 What should we eat?
- 4 There's a festival in Asakusa on Saturday
- 5 There's a restaurant on the second floor, so won't you have a meal with me there?

VOCABULARY

hōmu
iriguchi
nishiguchi
higashiguchi

platform
entrance
west exit
east exit

kitaguchi
minamiguchi

north exit
south exit



I *Invite someone to do something.* Make up sentences as in the example

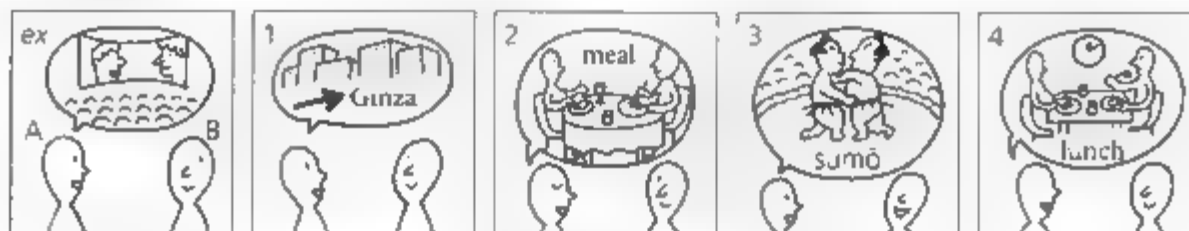
ex **hiru-gohan o tabemasu** → **Hiru-gohan o tabemasen ka.**

1 **kōhī o nomimasu** →

2 **gorufu o shimasu** →



II *Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples and based on the information in the illustrations*



A *Invite someone to do something and accept one's invitation.*

ex. A: **Shūmatsu ni issō ni eiga o mimasen ka.**

B: **Ee, mimashō.**

1 A

B

2. A

B

3. A

B

4. A

B

B *Invite someone to do something and refuse one's invitation.*

ex. A: **Shūmatsu ni issō ni eiga o mimasen ka.**

B: **Zannen desu ga, tsugō ga warui desu.**

1 A

B

- 2 A.
B.
3 A.
B.
4 A.
B.



II. Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given, using the same grammatical forms as in the examples.

A. *Decide what to do.*

ex. A: Nani o tabemashō ka.
B: Tempura o tabemasen ka.
A: Ee, sō shimashō.

- 1 A. (nomimasu)
B. (wain, nomimasu)
A.
2 A. (kaimasu)
B. (kabin, kaimasu)
A.

B. *Decide when to do something.*

ex. A: Itsu aimashō ka.
B: Ashita no 3-ji wa dô desu ka.
A: Ee, sō shimashō.

- 1 A. (purezento o ka masu)
B. (do-yōbi)
A.
2 A. (gorufu o shimasu)
B. (raigetsu)
A.

C Decide where to do something.

ex. **A:** Doko de aimashō ka.

B: Eki no mae ni kōban ga arimasu kara, kōban no mae de aimasen ka.

A: Ee, sō shimashō.

1 **A:** (tabemasu)

B:

(ABC biru ni i resutoran ga takusan arimasu, ABC biru de tabemasu)

A:

2 **A:** (hanashi o shimasu)

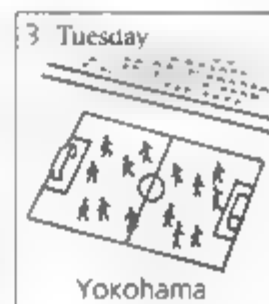
B:

(kono chikaku ni kōen ga arimasu, kōen de hanashi o shimasu)

A:



IV Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples and based on the information in the illustrations.



A State when and where an event will take place.

ex. Do-yōbi ni Asakusa de o-matsuri ga arimasu.

1

2

3

B Invite someone to an event and accept one's invitation.

ex A: Do-yōbi ni Asakusa de o-matsuri ga arimasu. Issho ni ikimasen ka.
B: Ii desu ne. Ikimashō.

1 A

■

2 A

B

3 A

B



V Invite someone to an event and decide on a meeting place. Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given.

ex Sumisu: Asatte Odaiba de hanabi-taikai ga arimasu. Issho ni ikimasen ka.
Nakamura: Ii desu ne. Ikimashō.
Sumisu: Doko de aimashō ka.
Nakamura: Shimbashi Eki no kitaguchi de aimasen ka.
Sumisu: Ee, sō shimashō.

1. Sumisu: (taishikan, pāti)

Nakamura:

Sumisu:

Nakamura: (Shinjuku Eki no nishiguchi)

Sumisu:

2. Sumisu: (Tōkyō Hōru, konsāto)

Nakamura:

Sumisu:

Nakamura: (Tōkyō Eki no minamiguchi)

Sumisu:

VOCABULARY

Ii desu ne
Shimbashi Eki
Shimbashi

that sounds good
Shimbashi Station
Shimbashi (district in Tokyo)

Shinjuku Eki
Shinjuku
Tōkyō Hōru
hōru

Shinjuku Station
Shinjuku (district in Tokyo)
Tokyo Hall (fictitious building name)
(concert) hall



1 Suzuki

2 Chan

3 Suzuki

4 Chan

5 Suzuki

6 Suzuki

7. Chan: Ja, mata.
8. Suzuk: Ja, do-yōbi ni.
9. Suzuk: Ja, do-yōbi ni.
10. Chan: Ja, mata.



VII Listen to the CD and fill in the blanks based on the information you hear.

Sumi-su-san wa _____ de _____ ni Nikkō ni kimasu.

SHORT DIALOGUES



Nakamura: Raishū Sumisu-san to tenisu o shimasu. Chan-san mo issho ni shimasen ka.

Chan: Arigatō gozaimasu. Zehi.

Nakamura: I'm going to be playing tennis with Mr. Smith next week. Won't you join us, Ms. Chan?

Chan: Thank you, I'd love to.

VOCABULARY

zehi by all means, certainly

II Takahashi: Sumisu-san, konshū no nichī-yōbi ni uchi de pāti o shimasu. Kimasen ka.

Sumisu: Arigatō gozaimasu. Zehi.

Takahashi: Mr. Smith, I'm having a party at my house this Sunday. Won't you come?

Smith: Thank you. I certainly will.

VOCABULARY

pāti o shimasu have a party

NOTES

1. (Nichī-yōbi ni uchi ni) kimasen ka.

When inviting someone to your own home, use the phrase **kimasen ka**. Appropriate replies are **ee/ha, arigatō gozaimasu** ("yes, thank you") or, to decline the offer, **zannen desu ga, tsugō ga warui desu** ("I'm sorry, I'm afraid it wouldn't be convenient [for me]").



Invite a friend to an event



TARGET DIALOGUE

TRACK
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Mr. Smith meets Mr. Suzuki, who is wearing a *happi* coat, and calls out to him.

かどう あ、スミスさん、あそこに すずきさんが いますよ。

スミス：ほんとうですね。すずきさん。

すずき あ、スミスさん。スミスさんも いっしょに おみこしを
かつぎませんか。

スミス：でも、はっぴが ありません。

すずき：わたしのを かしましょうか。

スミス：いいんですか。

すずき：ええ、わたしは 2まい ありますから。

スミス：ありがとうございます。じゃ、おねがいします。

■ スミスさんは あさくさで すずきさんに あいました。いっしょ
に おみこしを かつぎます。

Katō: A, Sumisu-san, asoko ni Suzuki-san ga imasu yo.

Sumisu: Hontō desu ne. Suzuki-san.

Suzuki: A, Sumisu-san. Sumisu-san mo issho ni o-mikoshi o katsugimasen ka.

Sumisu: Demo, happi ga arimasen.

Suzuki: Watashi no o kashimashō ka.

Sumisu: Ii n desu ka.

Suzuki: Ee, watashi wa 2-mai arimasu kara.

Sumisu: Arigatō gozaimasu. Ja, onegaishimasu.

■ Sumisu-san wa Asakusa de Suzuki-san ni aimashita. Issho ni o-mikoshi o katsugimasu.

Kato: Oh, Mr. Smith, there's Mr. Suzuki over there.

Smith: You're right. Mr. Suzuki!

Suzuki: Oh, Mr. Smith. Would you like to carry the o-mikoshi with us?

Smith: But I don't have a *happi* coat.

Suzuki: Shall I lend you mine?

Smith: Is it all right with you?

Suzuki: Yes, I have two.

Smith: Thank you. I'll ask you to do that, then.

■ Mr. Smith has met Mr. Suzuki in Asakusa. They will carry the o-mikoshi together.

| | | |
|---------|---------------|--|
| ほんとう | hontō | true |
| おみこし | o-mikoshi | portable shrine (carried during festivals) |
| かつぎます | katsugimasu | carry (on one's shoulders) |
| でも | demo | but |
| はっぴ | happi | happi coat |
| わたしの | watashi no | mine |
| かしましようか | kashimashō ka | shall I lend you? |
| かします | kashimasu | lend |
| いいんですか | ii n desu ka | is it all right? (expressing reserve) |
| あります | arimasu | have (see Note 1 below) |

NOTES

1. (Watashi wa) happi ga arimasen.

Arimasu can also be used in the sense of "have" or "own."

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



1. Verbs



1 kashimasu



2 tsukemasu



3 keshimasu



4 mochimasu



5 akemasu



6 shimemasu



7 (shashin o) torimasu

II. Words that can be used with **arimasu** ("to have"):

| | |
|-------|---------|
| 10:00 | |
| 12:00 | Free |
| 15:00 | Meeting |
| 18:00 | |

1 jikan



2 kuruma



3 yasumi



4 Nihon-go no jugyō

KEY SENTENCES

1. Chizu o kakimashō ka.
2. Sumisu-san wa eiga no kippu ga 2-mai arimasu.

1. Shall I draw a map?
2. Mr. Smith has two movie tickets

EXERCISES



- I *Offer to do something*. Make up sentences as in the example

ex. shashin o torimasu → Shashin o torimashō ka.

1. chizu o kakimasu →

2. kono hon o kashimasu →



ii. Offer to do something and accept or reject one's offer. Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustrations



ex. Sumisu: Nimotsu o mochimashô ka.
Nakamura: Ee, onegaishimasu.
Suzuki: Iie, kekkô desu

1. Sumisu.
Nakamura

2. Sumisu.
Suzuki

3. Sumisu.
Nakamura

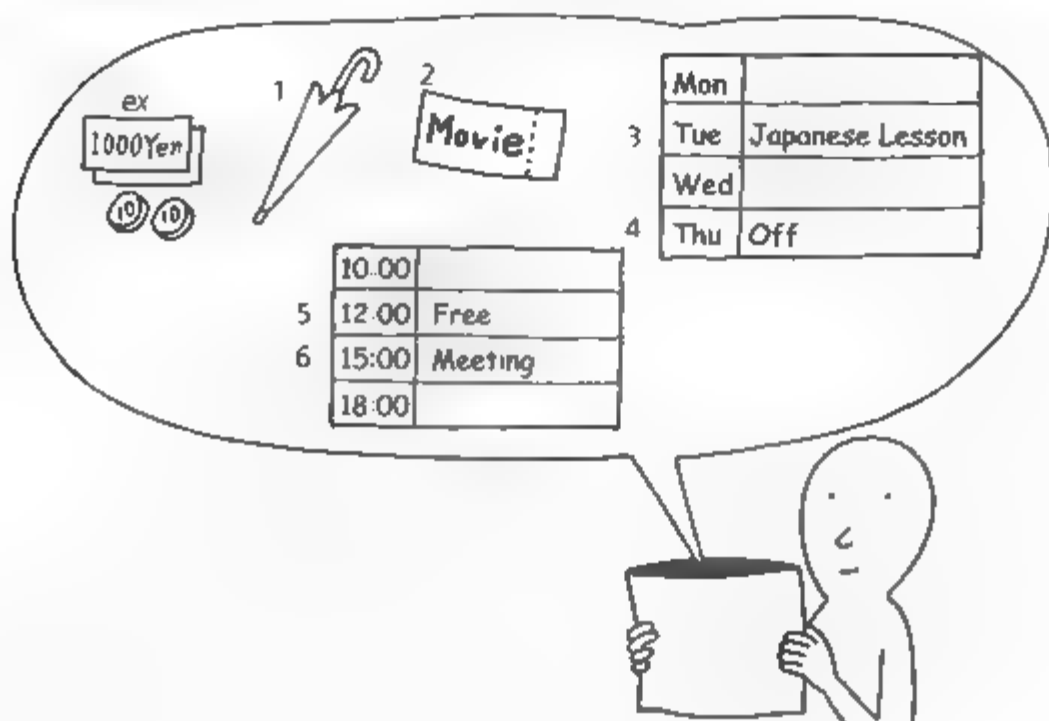
4. Sumisu.
Suzuki

VOCABULARY

nimotsu
doa
mado
eakon

luggage, baggage
door
window
air conditioner

- II **State what one has.** Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined word with the words suggested by the illustration



ex. **Watashi wa o-kane ga arimasu.**

- I
- 2
- III
- 4
- 5
- 6

- IV **Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples.** Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given, using the same grammatical forms as in the examples.

A. **Offer to lend someone something, giving a reason for doing so, and accept one's offer.**

ex. **A. (Watashi wa) kasa ga 2-hon arimasu kara, kashimashō ka.**
B: Hai, onegaishimasu.

1 A. _____ (pen, 2-hon)

■

2 A. _____ (happy, 2-mai)

B

B. *Invite someone to do something, giving a reason for doing so, and accept one's invitation.*

ex A: (Watashi wa) kuruma ga arimasu kara, isscho ni Nikkō ni ikimasen ka.
B: Ee, zehi.

1 A: (omoshiroi DVD, mimasu)
B:

2 A: (eiga no kippu, ikimasu)
B:



V Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given, using the same grammatical forms as in the examples.

A. *Refuse an invitation by stating one's situation.*

ex Suzuki: Eiga no kippu ga 2-mai arimasu. Chan-san, komban isscho ni ikimasen ka.
Chan: Sumimasen, komban jikan ga arimasen.
Suzuki: Sō desu ka. Ja, mata kondo.

1 Suzuki:
Chan: (kaigi ga arimasu)
Suzuki:

2 Suzuki:
Chan: (Nihon-go no jugyō ga arimasu)
Suzuki:

B. *Invite someone to do something.*

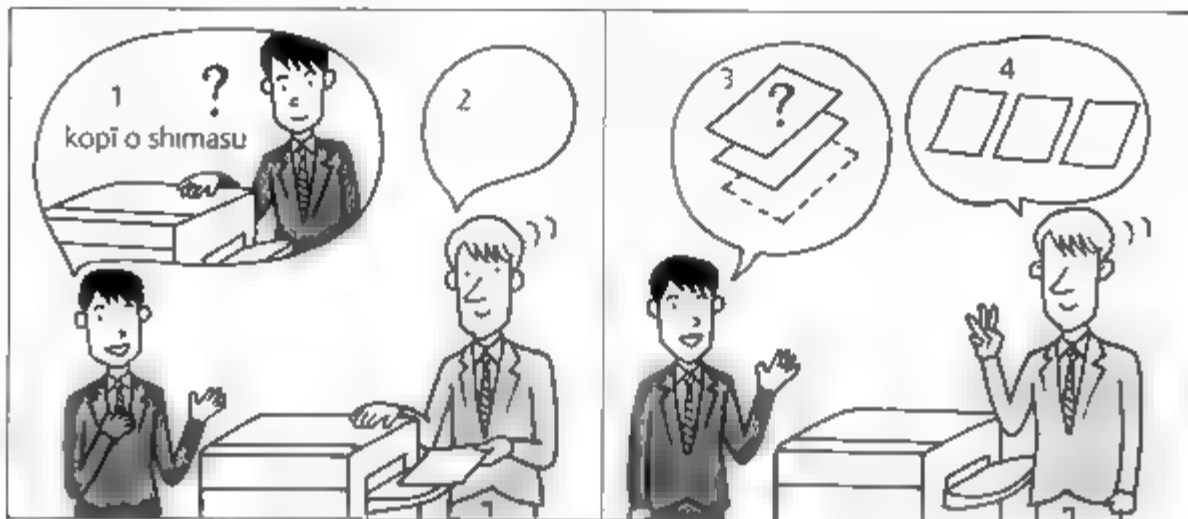
ex Sumisu: Suzuki-san, raishū isscho ni gorufu o shimasen ka.
Suzuki: Demo, kurabu ga arimasen.
Sumisu: Watashi no o kashimashō ka.
Suzuki: Arigatō gozaimasu. Onegaishimasu.

1 Sumisu: (suki)
Suzuki: (dōgu)
Sumisu:
Suzuki:

2 Sumisu: (tenisu)
Suzuki: (raketto)
Sumisu:
Suzuki:



VI Offer to help someone. Make up a dialogue based on the information in the illustrations



- 1 Suzuki
- 2 Sumisu
- 3 Suzuki
- 4 Sumisu



VI Listen to the CD and answer the question based on the information you hear



I At the festival site, Mr. Smith accidentally steps on someone's foot

onna no hito: A, itai.

Sumisu: A, sumimasen. Daijōbu desu ka.

onna no hito: Ee, daijōbu desu.

Sumisu: Dōmo sumimasendeshita.

woman: Oh, ouch!

Smith: Oh, I'm sorry. Are you all right?

woman: Yes, I'm fine.

Smith: I'm really sorry.

VOCABULARY

| | |
|------------------|--|
| itai | painful, ouch! |
| daijōbu desu ka | are you all right? |
| sumimasendeshita | I'm sorry (for what I did a while ago) |

II Mr. Kato calls out to Mr. Smith, who appears to be ill

Katō: Daijōbu desu ka.

Sumisu: Chotto kibun ga warui n desu.

Katō: Asoko ni benchi ga arimasu kara, chotto yasumimashō.

Sumisu: Hai.

Kato: Are you all right?

Smith: I'm feeling a bit out of sorts.

Kato: There's a bench over there, so let's take a little break.

Smith: All right.

VOCABULARY

| | |
|-----------------------|--|
| kibun ga warui n desu | I feel out of sorts, I don't feel well |
| benchi | bench |
| yasumimashō | rest, relax, take time off |



You have two tickets for an event. Invite someone to that event.

I Fill in the blank(s) in each sentence with the appropriate particle. Where a particle is not needed, write in an X.

1. Chan-san wa Takahashi-san () hana o moraimashita.
2. Watashi wa tanjōbi ni haha ni sukāfu () agemashita.
3. Do-yōbi ni Asakusa de o-matsuri () arimasu.
4. Watashi wa kuruma () arimasu.
5. Watashi wa eiga no kippu () 2-mai () arimasu.

II Complete each question by filling in the blank with the appropriate word.

1. Tōkyō Resutoran wa () resutoran desu ka.
Kireina resutoran desu.
2. Sumisu-san wa () ni eiga no kippu o moraimashita ka.
Tomodachi ni moraimashita.
3. Kinō no konsāto wa () deshita ka.
Totemo yokatta desu.
4. Nichi-yōbi ni () de bāgen-sēru ga arimasu ka.
Tōkyō Depāto de arimasu.

III Change the word in parentheses to the form that is appropriate in the context of the sentence.

1. Tōkyō Hōteru wa () hōteru desu. (kirei desu)
2. Kore wa () kēki desu. (oishii desu)
3. Ano resutoran wa aman () (shizuka desu)
4. Kinō no pāti wa totemo () (nigiyaka desu)
5. Kinō no eiga wa aman () (omoshiroi desu)

IV Change the words in parentheses to the forms that are appropriate in the context of the dialogue.

1. A. Shūmatsu ni issho ni erga o () (mimasu)
B. Ee, mimashō.
A. Doko de () (aimasu)
B. Tōkyō Eki wa dō desu ka.
2. A. Eakon o () (tsukemasu)
B. Iie, kekkō desu.
A. Dewa, mado o () (akemasu)
B. Hai, onegaishimasu.



UNIT

8

ON BUSINESS OUTSIDE TOKYO

Looking at Japan from a satellite, one would be surprised to see how mountainous the country is. In fact, about 73 percent of the land is mountain terrain. Another notable point is that because the country stretches more than 3 000 kilometers from northeast to southwest, its climate varies considerably according to latitude and this in turn has given rise to differences in ways of life and a variety of local dialects. The city of Sapporo on the island of Hokkaido in northern Japan (see photo above) is both a tourist and a business destination. Other such cities include Osaka, Niigata, Nagoya, and Fukuoka. (See map on front end paper.)

UNIT 8 GRAMMAR

The -Te Form

■ Japanese verbs have several forms

Japanese verbs have several conjugated forms. All the verbs presented so far have been in, or derived from, the **-masu** form. Now we'll look at a new form, the **-te** form.

■ How to form the -te form

Japanese verbs are divided into three classes according to their conjugations: Regular I, Regular II and Irregular. The **-te** forms of Regular II and Irregular verbs always end with **-te**; the **-masu** comes off and **-te** is added to the stem. The **-te** forms of Regular I verbs vary, as shown in the following chart.

| REGULAR I | | | REGULAR II | | |
|-----------------|-------------------|----------------|------------|------------------|---------------|
| buy | kai-masu | katte | eat | tabe-masu | tabete |
| wait | machi-masu | matte | open | ake-masu | akete |
| return, go home | kaeri-masu | kaette | see | mi-masu | mite |
| listen | kiki-masu | kiite | IRREGULAR | | |
| write | kaki-masu | kaite | come | ki-masu | kite |
| read | yomi-masu | yonde | do | shi-masu | shite |
| drink | nomi-masu | nonde | | | |
| turn off | keshi-masu | keshite | | | |

NOTE: A more detailed explanation of the grouping of Japanese verbs is given in Unit 9 Grammar, p. 178.

■ How the -te form is used

The **-te** form occurs in the middle of a sentence.

ex **Gurei-san wa Sapporo-shisha ni itte, Satō-san ni aimasu.**

"Mr. Grey will go to the Sapporo branch office and meet Mr. Sato."

or is combined with **kudasai** to form a polite imperative.

ex **Katarogu o okutte kudasai.** "Please send a catalog."

When one action is followed by another, the first clause is terminated by a verb in the **-te** form. In this type of sentence, the subject of the first and second clause must be the same. The **-te** form can be used to link up to three clauses, in which case the verbs of the first two end in the **-te** form. The **-te** form cannot be used if the moods and tenses of the clauses it combines are not the same. For example, the following two sentences cannot be connected using the **-te** form.

1. Statement. **Watashi wa kippu ga 2-mai arimasu.** "I have two tickets."

2. Suggestion. **Ashita issho ni eiga o mimasen ka.**

"What do you say to seeing a movie together tomorrow?"

Furthermore, if the first clause contains a motion verb like **ikimasu**, **kimasu**, or **kaerimasu**, the verb in the second clause must express an action that occurs in the location to which the subject went in the first clause. For example, **Kinō Ginza ni itte, hiru-gohan o tabemashita** ("Yesterday I went to Ginza and ate lunch [there]") is correct, but **Kinō Ginza ni itte, Shibuya de hiru-gohan o tabemashita** ("Yesterday I went to Ginza and ate lunch in Shibuya") is incorrect, since the act of eating took place in Shibuya, not Ginza.



TARGET DIALOGUE

TRACK
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Ms. Chan is talking with Ms. Sasaki about her sudden business trip.

チャン：ささきさん、ちょっと よろしいですか。

ささき：はい。

チャン あした ほっかいどうで はんばいかいぎが ありますから、
さっぽろに いきます。

ささき：かいぎは なんじからですか。

チャン ごぜん 10じから ごご 3じまでです。かいぎの あと
で さっぽろししゃに いって、さとうさんに あいます。
あさって はこだての チョコレートこうじょうを みて、
1じの ひこうきで どうきょうに かえります。

ささき：わかりました。では、きをつけて。

■チャンさんは あした さっぽろに いきます。あさって チョコ
レートこうじょうを みて、どうきょうに かえります。

Chan: Sasaki-san, chotto yoroshii desu ka.

Sasaki: Hai.

Chan: Ashita Hokkaidō de hambai-kaigi ga arimasu kara, Sapporo ni ikimasu.

Sasaki: Kaigi wa nan-ji kara desu ka.

Chan: Gozen 10-ji kara gogo 3-ji made desu. Kaigi no ato de Sapporo-shisha ni itte,
Satō-san ni aimasu. Asatte Hakodate no chokorēto-kōjō o mite, 1-ji no hikōki de
Tōkyō ni kaerimasu.

Sasaki: Wakarimashita. Dewa, ki o tsukete.

■ Chan-san wa ashita Sapporo ni ikimasu. Asatte chokorēto kōjō o mite, Tōkyō ni kaeri-
masu.

Chan: Ms. Sasaki, do you have a moment?

Sasaki: Yes, please (tell me what you want to talk about)

Chan: There's a sales meeting in Hokkaido tomorrow, so I'm going to Sapporo

Sasaki: What time does the meeting start?

Chan: It's from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. After the meeting, I'll go to the Sapporo branch office
and meet Mr. Sato. The day after tomorrow, I'll see the chocolate factory in Hakodate
and fly back to Tokyo on a 1:00 (p.m.) flight

Sasaki: I see. Well then, take care

■ Ms. Chan is going to Sapporo tomorrow. The day after tomorrow she will see a chocolate fac-
tory and return to Tokyo.

| | | |
|--------------|-------------------------|---|
| ちょっと よろしいですか | chotto yoroshii desu ka | do you have a moment? |
| よろしい | yoroshii | good, all right (polite form of ㊤, used in interrogative sentences) |
| ほっかいどう | Hokkaidō | Hokkaido (the northernmost of the main islands of Japan) |
| はんばい | hambai | sales, marketing |
| ～の あとで | no ato de | after |
| さとう | Satō | Sato (surname) |
| はこだて | Hakodate | Hakodate (city in southern Hokkaido) |
| こうじょう | kōjō | factory, manufacturing plant |
| きを つけて | ki o tsukete | take care |

NOTES

1. Chotto yoroshii desu ka.

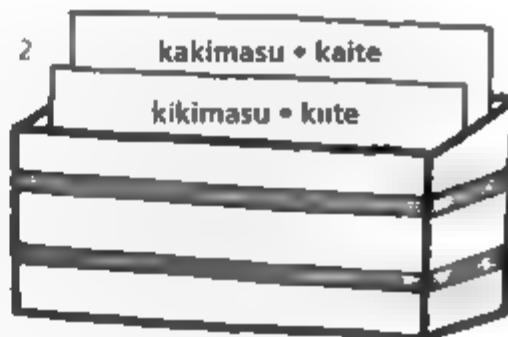
This expression is used to get the attention of someone who's in the midst of something.

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



The -te form



shimasu + shite

KEY SENTENCES

1. Sumisu-san wa kinō hon-ya ni itte, jisho o kaimashita.
2. Sumisu-san wa kaigi no mae ni kopi o shimasu.
3. Sumisu-san wa kinō pāti no ato de takushi de uchi ni kaerimashita.

- 1 Mr. Smith went to a bookstore yesterday and bought a dictionary.
- 2 Mr. Smith will make copies before the meeting.
- 3 Mr. Smith went home by taxi after yesterday's party.

EXERCISES



Practice conjugating verbs. Repeat the verbs below and memorize the *-te* forms.

| | -MASU FORM | -TE FORM | | -MASU FORM | -TE FORM |
|-----------------|------------|----------|----------|------------|----------|
| buy | kaimasu | katte | turn off | keshimasu | keshite |
| meet | aimasu | atte | eat | tabemasu | tabete |
| return, go home | kaerimasu | kaette | open | akemasu | akete |
| go | ikimasu | itte | close | shimemasu | shimete |
| write | kakimasu | kaite | turn on | tsukemasu | tsukete |
| sten (to), ask | kikimasu | kite | see | mimasu | mite |
| drink | nomimasu | nonde | come | kimasu | kite |
| read | yomimasu | yonde | do | shimasu | shite |

*irregular inflection



Practice the -te form. Change the following verbs to their *-te* forms.

ex. tabemasu → tabete

1 kimasu →

6 yomimasu →

2 nomimasu →

7 mimasu →

3 kakimasu →

8 kikimasu →

4 aimasu →

9 shimasu →

5 kaerimasu →

10 ikimasu →



III *Express a sequence of actions.* Combine the sentences below as in the example

ex **Mēru o kakimasu. Okurimasu.**

→ **Mēru o karte, okurimasu.**

1 Denki o tsukemasu. Doa o shimemasu

→

2 Denwa-bangō o kikimasu. Denwa o shimasu

→

3 Uchi de hon o yomimasu. Repōto o kakimasu

→



IV *Ask and answer what one will do. In answering, express a sequence of actions.* Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined parts with the appropriate forms of the alternatives given.

ex. **A: Ashita nani o shimasu ka.**

B: Hon-ya ni itte, jisho o kaimasu.

1. A.

B.

(Ginza de kaimono o shimasu, eiga o mimasu)

2. A.

B.

(resutoran de hiru-gohan o tabemasu, bijutsukan ni ikimasu)



V *Express a sequence of actions.* Combine the sentences below as in the example

ex **Uchi ni kimasen ka. Hiru-gohan o tabemasen ka.**

→ **Uchi ni kite, hiru-gohan o tabemasen ka.**

1 Sumisu-san ni aimashita. Issho ni tenisu o shimashita.

→

2 Doa o akemashō ka. Denki o tsukemashō ka.

→



VI Ask and answer what one did. In answering, express a sequence of actions. Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined parts with the appropriate forms of the alternatives given.

ex. A: Kinō nani o shimashita ka.

B: Depāto de kēki o katte, tomodachi no uchi ni ikimashita.

1 A

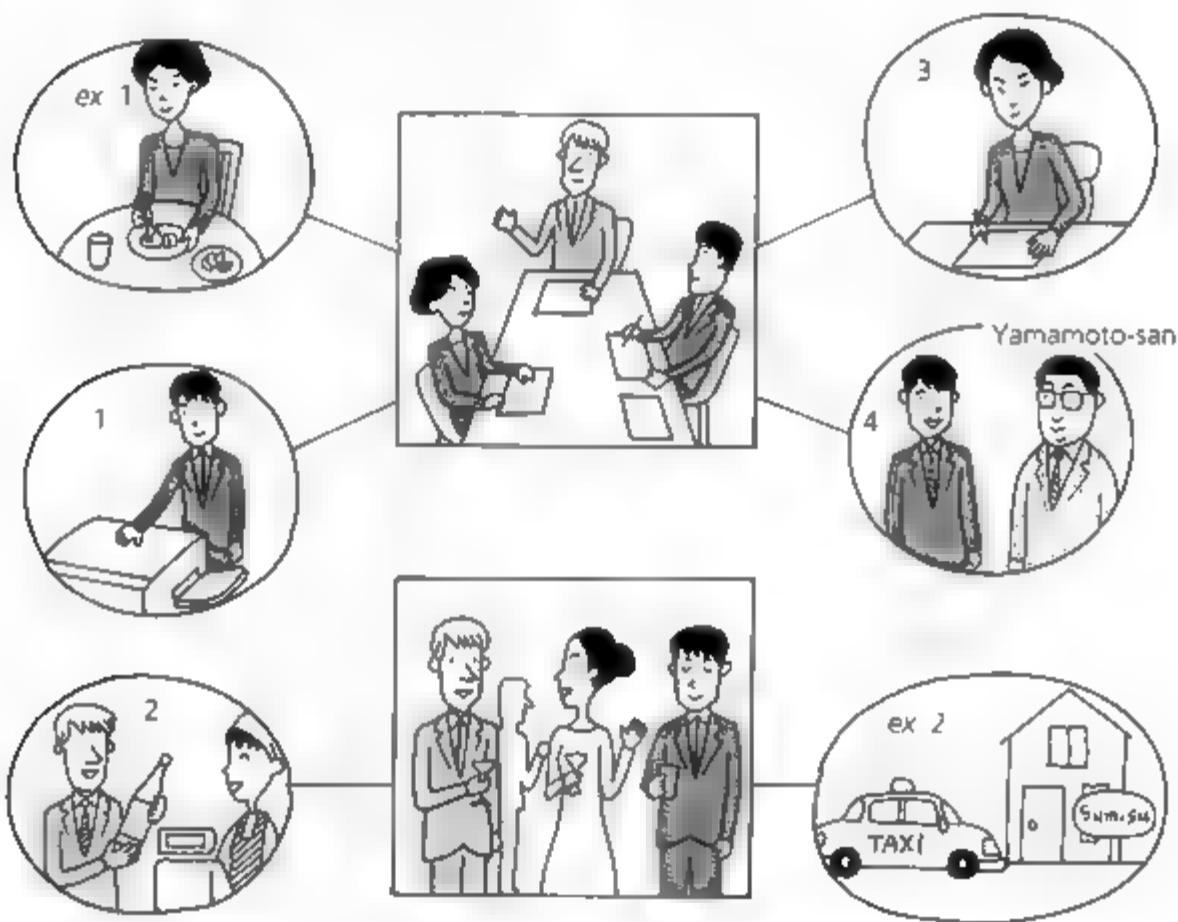
B: (Roppongi ni ikimasu, shokujī o shimasu)

2 A

B: (Tomodachi ni aimasu, issho ni sumō o mimasu)



VII State what someone will do before or after a given event. Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples. Use the information in the illustration as a guide and substitute the underlined parts in each example with the alternatives given.



ex. 1 Gogo 7-ji kara kaigi ga arimasu. Kaigi no mae ni shokujī o shimasu.

1 (kaigi, kopī o shimasu)

2 (pāti, wain o kaimasu)

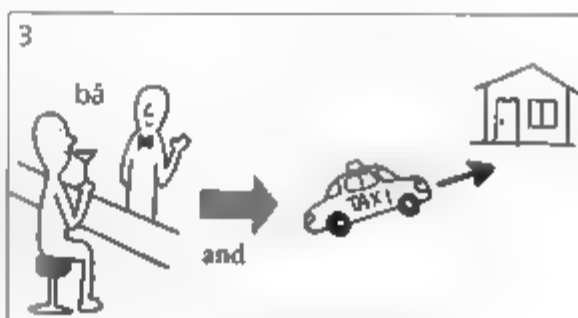
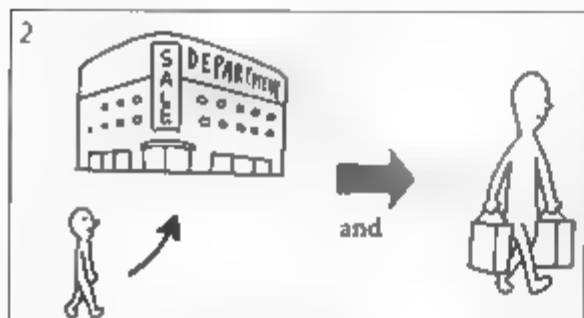
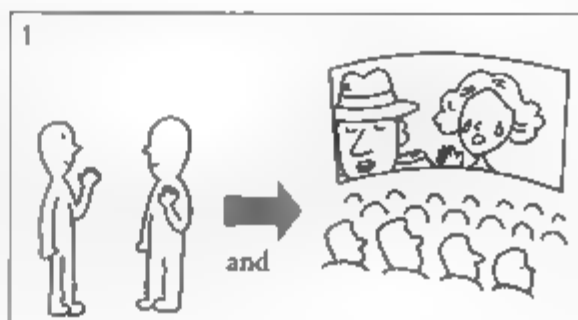
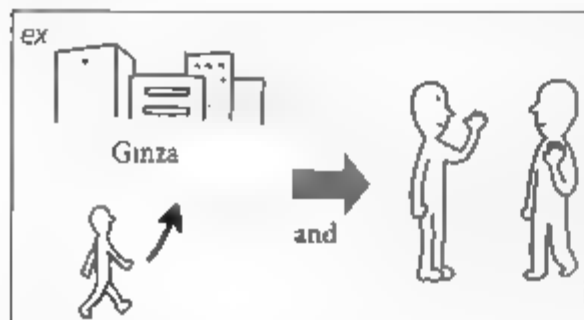
ex. 2 Gogo 7-ji kara pāti ga arimasu. Pāti no ato de takushi de uchi ni kaerimasu.

3 (kaigi, repōto o kakimasu)

4 (kaigi, Yamamoto-san ni aimasu,



V.1. Ask and answer what one did after work. In answering, express a sequence of actions. Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustrations.



ex A: Kinō shigoto no ato de nani o shimashita ka.

B: Ginza ni itte, tomodachi ni aimashita.

1 A.

B.

2 A.

B.

3 A.

B.



IX **Describe a schedule.** Look at the schedule of Mr. Smith's business trip and make up sentences following the pattern of the example

| | | | |
|--------------|-------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| ex. Thursday | Osaka | Meeting | → Call Mr. Green |
| 1. Friday | Kobe | Golf | → Go to a friend's house |
| 2. Saturday | Kyoto | Have a meal with Mr. Yamamoto | → See old temples and gardens |

ex **Sumisu-san wa moku-yōbi ni Ōsaka ni itte, kaigi o shimasu. Kaigi no ato de Gurin-san ni denwa o shimasu.**

1

2



X **Talk about a plan.** Make up dialogues on the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given.

ex **Sasaki: Chan-san, kaigi no ato de doko ni ikimasu ka.**
Chan: Hakodate ni itte, chokorēto-kōjō o mimasu.
Sasaki: Sō desu ka.

1. Sasaki.

Chan: (Otaru, sushi o tabemasu)

Sasaki.

2. Sasaki.

Chan: (depāto, Hokkaidō no o-miyage o kaimasu)

Sasaki.



XI Listen to the CD and choose the correct answer to the question asked





I Mrs. Green is planning a party. She calls up Mrs. Matsui to invite her.

Gurin: Nihon-jin no tomodachi ni Kyōto no yūmeina o-sake o moraimashita. Nichiyōbi ni tomodachi o yonde, pāti o shimasu. Matsui-san mo kimasen ka.

Matsui: Arigatō gozaimasu. Zehi.

Green: I've received some famous sake from Kyoto from a Japanese friend. On Sunday I'm getting some friends together to have a party. Won't you come, Mrs. Matsui?

Matsui: Thank you. I'll be there.



yonde (-te form of yobimasu)

yobimasu call, invite

II Ms. Nakamura asks Ms. Chan if she plans to attend Mrs. Green's party.

Nakamura: Ashita no pāti ni ikimasu ka.

Chan: Iie, ikimasen.

Nakamura: Dōshite desu ka.

Chan: Honkon kara haha ga kimasu kara.

Nakamura: Will you go to the party tomorrow?

Chan: No, I will not.

Nakamura: Why (not)?

Chan: Because my mother is visiting (lit., "will come") from Hong Kong.

VOCABULARY

dōshite why



Tell someone what you did yesterday. Then talk about your plans for the coming weekend.



TARGET DIALOGUE

TRACK
68

Ms. Chan has come to Sapporo to attend a sales meeting

チャン：もしもし、チャンですが、おはようございます。

すずき あ チャンさん、おはようございます。すずきです。

チャン いま さっぽろに います。すみませんが、メールで あたらしい しょうひんの カタログを すぐ おくってください。かいぎで つかいますから。

すずき：はい、わかりました。

チャン それから、サンプルの しゃしんも おくってください。

すずき：はい、すぐ おくります。

チャン：じゃ、おねがいします。

■ チャンさんは さっぽろから ほんしゃの すずきさんに でんわを しました。すずきさんは チャンさんに メールで あたらしい しょうひんの カタログと サンプルの しゃしんを おくります。

Chan: Moshimoshi, Chan desu ga, ohayō gozaimasu.

Suzuki: A, Chan-san, ohayō gozaimasu. Suzuki desu.

Chan: Ima Sapporo ni imasu. Sumimasen ga, mēru de atarashii shōhin no katarogu o sugu okutte kudasai. Kaigi de tsukaimasu kara.

Suzuki: Hai, wakarimashita.

Chan: Sorekara, sampuru no shashin mo okutte kudasai.

Suzuki: Hai, sugu okurimasu.

Chan: Ja, onegaishimasu.

■ Chan-san wa Sapporo kara honsha no Suzuki-san ni denwa o shimashita. Suzuki-san wa Chan-san ni mēru de atarashii shōhin no katarogu to sampuru no shashin o okurimasu.

Chan: Hello, this is Chan. Good morning

Suzuki: Oh, Ms. Chan. Good morning. This is Suzuki.

Chan: I'm in Sapporo. I'm sorry to bother you, but could you please send me the new product catalog by e-mail right away, because I'm going to use it during the meeting

Suzuki: Yes, all right

Chan: Also, please send photographs of the samples.

Suzuki: Yes, I'll send them right away

Chan: Thank you. Bye now

■ Ms. Chan made a phone call from Sapporo to Mr. Suzuki at the main office. Mr. Suzuki sends Ms. Chan the new product catalog and sample photographs by e-mail

| | | |
|-----------|----------------|------------------------------|
| が | ga | (particle; see Note 1 below) |
| しょうひん | shōhin | product, merchandise |
| カタログ | katarogu | catalog |
| すぐ | sugu | soon, right away |
| おくって ください | okutte kudasai | please send |
| つかいます | tsukaimasu | use |
| それから | sorekara | also, in addition |
| サンプル | sampuru | sample |
| ほんしゃ | honsha | main/central/head office |

NOTES

1. Chan desu ga . . .

This **ga** is a conjunction that joins two clauses. It expresses a kind of courteous hesitation and indicates that the phrase before it is merely a preliminary to the principal matter.

2. Mōru de

This **de** indicates a means of telecommunication or post.

ex **Mōru de shiryō o okurimasu.** "I'll send the materials by e-mail."

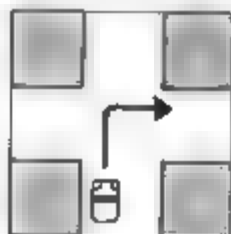
Takuharbin de nimotsu o okurimasu. "I'll send the luggage by courier."

PRACTICE

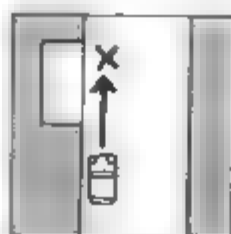
WORD POWER



I Verbs



1 magarimasu



2 tomemasu



3 iimasu



4 oshiemasu

magarimasu

turn

tomemasu

stop, park

iimasu

say

oshiemasu

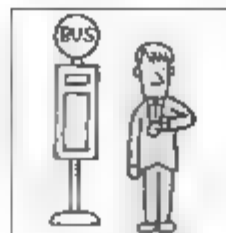
teach, show, tell



5 mottekimasu

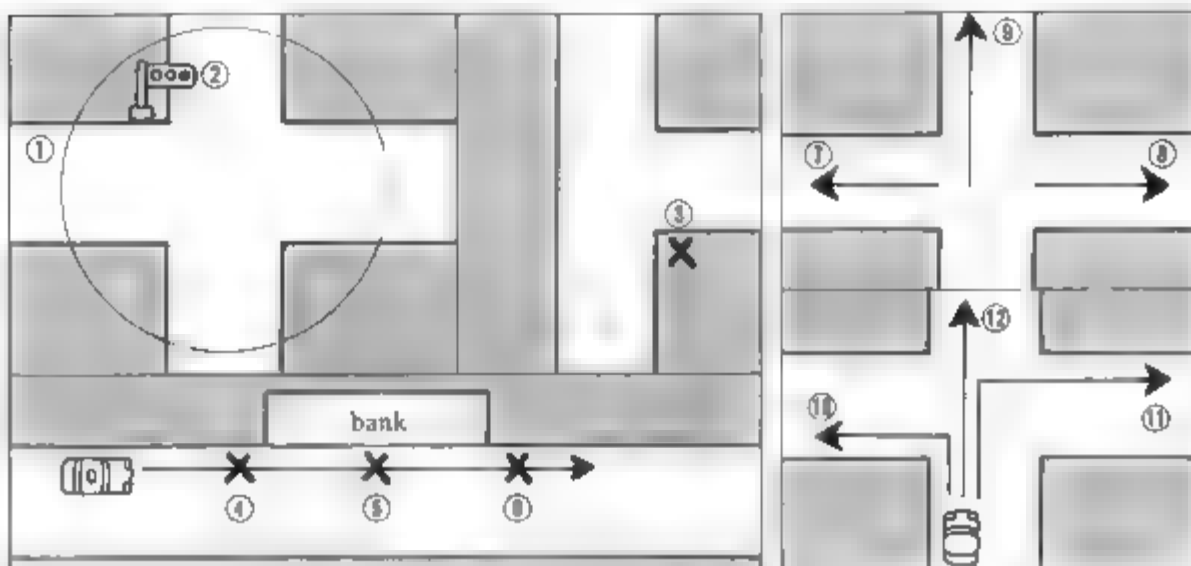


6 todokemasu



7 machimasu

Positions and directions



1 kōsaten

2 shingō

3 kado

4 ginkō no temae

5 ginkō no mae

6 ginkō no saki

7 hidari

8 migi

9 massugu

10 kōsaten o hidari ni magarimasu

11 kōsaten o migi ni magarimasu

12 massugu ikimasu

III Means of communication or delivery



1 fakkusu



2 kōkūbin



3 funabin



4 takuhaibin

mottekimasu bring
todokemasu deliver
machimasu wait
kōsaten intersection
shingō traffic signal

kado corner
temae just before
mae before
saki ahead
hidari left

migi right
massugu straight ahead
o (particle indicating a point of passage)
fakkusu fax

kōkūbin airmail
funabin surface mail
takuhaibin courier service

KEY SENTENCES

1. Mō ichi-do itte kudasai.
 2. Kono nimotsu o takuhaibin de okutte kudasai.
 3. Tsugi no shingō o migi ni magatte kudasai.
- 1 Please say it again.
2 Please send this luggage by courier.
3 Turn right at the next traffic sign.

EXERCISES

 **Practice conjugating verbs.** Repeat the verbs below and memorize their **-masu** and **-te** forms

| | -MASU FORM | -TE FORM |
|---------|-------------|-----------|
| say | iimasu | itte |
| wait | machimasu | matte |
| turn | magarimasu | magatte |
| take | torimasu | totte |
| lend | kashimasu | kashite |
| show | misemasu | misete |
| stop | tomemasu | tomete |
| tell | oshimasu | oshiete |
| deliver | todokemasu | todokete |
| bring | mottekimasu | mottekite |

 **Make a request.** Make up sentences as in the example

ex. namae o kakimasu → Namae o kaite kudasai.

- 1 chotto machimasu →
- 2 shashin o torimasu →
- 3 mō ichi-do imasu →
- 4 pen o kashimasu →
- 5 pizza o todokemasu →



II. Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given, changing their forms as necessary

A Make and accept a request.

ex. **A:** Sumimasen. Ano resutoran no namae o oshiete kudasai.

B: Hai.

1. **A:** (mēru-adoresu, kakimasu)

B:

2. **A:** (menyū, misemasu)

B:

3. **A:** (kaigi no shiryō, mottekimasu)

B:

B Make and accept a request to send something by a certain means.

ex. **A:** Sumisu-san ni mēru de shiryō o okutte kudasai.

B: Hai, wakarimashita.

1. **A:**
(Nozomi Depāto, fakkusu, shiryō)

B:

2. **A:**
(Rondon-shisha no Jonson-san, kōkūbin, katarogu)

B:

3. **A:**
(Yokohama-shisha no hito, yūbin, kono nimotsu)

B:



IV **Give directions to a taxi driver.** Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given

A ex. Tsumi no shingō o migi ni magatte kudasai.

1. (tsugi no kōsaten, hidari)

2. (futatsu-me no kado, migi)

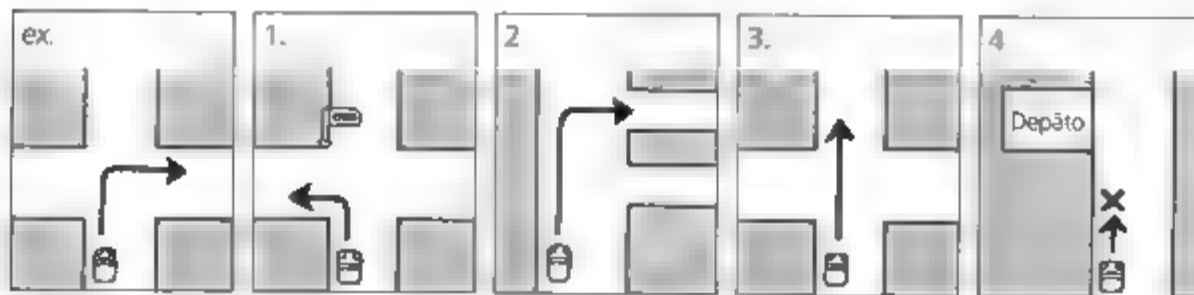
B ex. Ginkō no mae de tomete kudasai.

1. (byōin no temae)

2. (yubinkyoku no saki)



V Give directions to a taxi driver. Tell the driver to follow the route indicated by the arrows and to stop at the point indicated by the X.



ex. Tsugi no kōsaten o migi ni magatte kudasai.

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3

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VI Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given.

A. Request that a purchase be delivered.

ex Sumisu: Sumimasen. Uchi ni kono terebi o todokete kudasai.

mise no hito: Hai.

Sumisu: Ashita no gogo todokete kudasai.

mise no hito: Hai, wakarimashita. Dewa, o-namae to go-jūsho o onegaishimasu.

1 Sumisu: (pasokon)

mise no hito:

Sumisu: (kin-yōbi no 2-ji made ni)

mise no hito:

2 Sumisu, (sofā)

mise no hito:

Sumisu (nichi-yōbi ni)

mise no hito:

B Give directions to a taxi driver

- ex Chan: **Tōkyō Tawā no chikaku made onegaishimasu.**
 untenshu: Hai
 Chan: (after a while) **Tsugi no shingō o hidari ni magatte kudasai.**
 untenshu: Hai.
 Chan: **Ano shiroi biru no mae de tomete kudasai.**
 untenshu: Hai, wakarimashita.
 untenshu: (after a while) **4,000-en desu.**
 Chan: Hai.
 untenshu: **Arigatō gozaimashita.**
 Chan: **Dōmo.**

1 Chan: (Roppong Kōsaten)

untenshu:

Chan: (migi)

untenshu:

Chan: (kombini no temae)

untenshu:

untenshu:

Chan:

untenshu:

Chan:

2 Chan: (Shibuya Eki)

untenshu:

Chan: (hidari)

untenshu:

Chan: (manshon no mae)

untenshu:

untenshu:

Chan:

untenshu:

Chan:



VII. Listen to the CD and fill in the blanks based on the information you hear

Chan-san wa ni de kaigi no shiryō o okurimasu

SHORT DIALOGUES



I Ms Chan phones room service because her room is cold.

hoteru no hito: Hai, rûmu-sābisu desu.

Chan: Sumimasen, 201 no Chan desu ga, mōfu o mottekite kudasai

hoteru no hito: Hai, wakarimashita.

hotel employee: Yes, this is room service

Chan: This is Ms. Chan in room 201. Please bring me a blanket

hotel employee: Yes, will do

VOCABULARY

rûmu-sābisu room service

mōfu blanket

II Ms Chan is checking out of the hotel

Chan: Sumimasen.

furonto no hito: Hai, nan deshō ka.

Chan: Kono nimotsu o 5-ji made azukatte kudasai.

furonto no hito: Hai, wakarimashita.

Chan: Excuse me

front desk clerk: Yes, how may I help you?

Chan: Please take care of this luggage for me till 5:00 (p.m.)

front desk clerk: Yes, will do

VOCABULARY

nan deshō ka how may I help you? (softer way of saying nan desu ka)

azukatte kudasai please take care of

azukarimasu take care of, be in charge of



If you're in Japan, try giving a taxi driver instructions in Japanese. Or, alternatively, next time you purchase a large item, ask to have it delivered to your home.



UNIT

9

SEEING A MUSEUM

From Western art to ukiyoe, and from cutting-edge technology to ghosts and goblins, Japan is abundant in museums of all sorts. Among the many museums in the Tokyo area are the Edo-Tokyo Museum, which showcases architecture and culture from an older Japan, the Ghibli Museum, which was designed and is under the supervision of the anime genius Hayao Miyazaki, and the National Museum of Emerging Science and Innovation, where visitors can play with robots or take a ride in a spaceship module. Pictured here is the Tokyo National Museum, which houses paintings, sculptures, and other pieces from all regions of Asia.

UNIT 9 GRAMMAR

The -Nai Form

■ Classifications of Japanese verbs

As discussed briefly in Unit 8 Grammar (p. 160), Japanese verbs are divided into three classes based on their conjugations: Regular I, Regular II, and Irregular. The stems of Regular I verbs (the part just before the **-masu** ending) end with **-i**, and they change as the verbs are conjugated. The stems of Regular II verbs, on the other hand, end with either **-e** or **-i** but remain the same even as the verbs are conjugated. There are only two Irregular verbs: **shimasu** and **kimasu**. For more on verb conjugation, see Appendix E, pp. 244–46.

■ How to form the -nai form

For Regular I verbs, the sound before **-masu** changes as shown in the chart below, and **-nai** is added to obtain the **-nai** form. For Regular II verbs, the rule is simpler: **-masu** comes off and **-nai** is added. The Irregular verbs have irregular conjugations.

| REGULAR I | | | | | |
|-----------------|------------|-----------|----------|------------|----------|
| buy | kai-masu | kawa-nai | write | kaki-masu | kaka-nai |
| return, go home | kaeri-masu | kaera-nai | go | iki-masu | ika-nai |
| wait | machi-masu | mata-nai | read | yomi-masu | yoma-nai |
| play | asobi-masu | asoba-nai | turn off | keshi-masu | kesa-nai |
| REGULAR II | | | | | |
| eat | tabe-masu | tabe-nai | see | mi-masu | mi-nai |
| show | mise-masu | mise-nai | be | i-masu | i-nai |
| IRREGULAR | | | | | |
| come | ki-masu | ko-nai | do | shi-masu | shi-nai |

■ How the -nai form is used

ex **Koko ni kuruma o tomenaide kudasai.** "Please do not park your car here."

A negative verb used in mid-sentence usually takes the **-nai** form rather than the **-masen** form it has at the end of a sentence. For now, however, just remember the following use of the **-nai** form: verb-**naide kudasai** ("please do not ____").

TARGET DIALOGUE

Ms. Nakamura recently heard that the Sakura Art Museum is open till 8 p.m. on Fridays

なかむら チャンさん、あした しごとの あとで さくらびじゅつかんに いきませんか。

チャン：いいですね。いきましょう。

なかむら：なんじに かいしゃを でましようか。

チャン ここから さくらびじゅつかんまで どのぐらい かかりますか。

なかむら：40ぶんぐらい かかります。

チャン：じゃ、6じに かいしゃを でませんか。

なかむら：ええ。じゃ、あした 6じに。

■ なかむらさんと チャンさんは あした しごとの あとで さくらびじゅつかんに いきます。6じに かいしゃを でます。かいしゃから さくらびじゅつかんまで 40ぶんぐらい かかります。

Nakamura: Chan-san, ashita shigoto no ato de Sakura Bijutsukan ni ikimasen ka.

Chan: Ii desu ne. Ikimashō.

Nakamura: Nan-ji ni kaisha o demashō ka.

Chan: Koko kara Sakura Bijutsukan made donogurai kakarimasu ka.

Nakamura: 40-pun gurai kakarimasu.

Chan: Ja, 6-ji ni kaisha o demasen ka.

Nakamura: Ee. Ja, ashita 6-ji ni.

■ Nakamura-san to Chan-san wa ashita shigoto no ato de Sakura Bijutsukan ni ikimasu. 6-ji ni kaisha o demasu. Kaisha kara Sakura Bijutsukan made 40-pun gurai kakarimasu.

Nakamura: Ms. Chan, how about going to the Sakura Art Museum tomorrow after work?

Chan: That would be nice. Let's go.

Nakamura: At what time should we leave the office?

Chan: How long does it take to get from here to the Sakura Art Museum?

Nakamura: It takes about forty minutes.

Chan: Well, how about leaving the office at 6:00?

Nakamura: OK. Tomorrow at 6:00, then.

■ Ms. Nakamura and Ms. Chan are going to the Sakura Art Museum tomorrow after work. They will leave the office at 6:00. It takes about forty minutes to get from the company to the Sakura Art Museum.

| | | |
|-----------|-------------------|--|
| さくらびじゅつかん | Sakura Bijutsukan | Sakura Art Museum (fictitious museum name, |
| を | o | (particle, see Note 1 below) |
| でましょうか | demashō ka | shall we leave? |
| でます | demasu | leave |
| どのくらい | donogurai | how long |
| かかります | kakarimasu | take (time) |

NOTES

1. Nan-ji ni kaisha o demashō ka

The particle **o** here indicates a point of departure

ex 6-ji ni kaisha o demasu. "I'll leave the office at 6:00."

Shinjuku Eki de densha o orimasu. "I'll get off the train at Shinjuku Station."

The particle **ni**, on the other hand, indicates a point of arrival or a location toward which an act on such as going, coming, entering, or boarding is directed

ex 7-ji ni bijutsukan ni tsukimasu. "I'll arrive at the art museum at 7:00."

Tōkyō Eki de densha ni norimasu. "I'll board the train at Tokyo Station."

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



I. Verbs



1 norimasu

2 orimasu

3 demasu

4 tsukimasu

5 kakarimasu

II. Periods

| | MINUTES | | HOURS | | DAYS |
|----|------------------|---|------------|--|---------------|
| 5 | go-fun (kan) | 1 | ichi-jikan | | ichi-nichi |
| 10 | juppun (kan) | 2 | ni-jikan | | futsuka (kan) |
| 15 | jūgo-fun (kan) | 3 | san-jikan | | mikka (kan) |
| 20 | nijuppun (kan) | 4 | yo-jikan | | yokka (kan) |
| 25 | nijugo-fun (kan) | 5 | go-jikan | | itsuka (kan) |
| 30 | sanjuppun (kan) | 6 | roku-jikan | | muika (kan) |

NOTE san-jikan han, three and a half hours (see also Appendix J, pp. 249–50)

| | WEEKS | | MONTHS | | YEARS |
|---|-------------|--|-------------------|--|----------------|
| 1 | isshūkan | | ikkagetsu (kan) | | ichi-nen (kan) |
| 2 | ni-shūkan | | ni-kagetsu (kan) | | ni-nen (kan) |
| 3 | san-shūkan | | san-kagetsu (kan) | | san-nen (kan) |
| 4 | yon-shūkan | | yon-kagetsu (kan) | | yo-nen (kan) |
| 5 | go-shūkan | | go-kagetsu (kan) | | go-nen (kan) |
| 6 | roku-shūkan | | rokkagetsu (kan) | | roku-nen (kan) |

NOTE: ichi-nen han, one and a half years (see also Appendix J, pp. 249–50)

KEY SENTENCES

1. Sumisu-san wa Tōkyō Eki de densha ni norimasu.
2. Sumisu-san wa Shinjuku Eki de densha o orimasu.
3. Hikōki wa 9-ji ni Tōkyō o dete, 10-ji han ni Sapporo ni tsukimasu.
4. Tōkyō kara Nikkō made densha de 1-jikan han kakarimasu.

- 1 Mr. Smith will get on the train at Tokyo Station
- 2 Mr. Smith will get off the train at Shinjuku Station
- 3 The plane leaves Tokyo at 9:00 and arrives in Sapporo at 10:30
- 4 It takes an hour and a half to go by train from Tokyo to Nikko

EXERCISES



1 *Practice conjugating verbs.* Repeat the verbs below and memorize their **-te** forms

| | -MASU FORM | -TE FORM |
|---------------|------------|----------|
| get on, take | norimasu | notte |
| get off | orimasu | orite |
| go out, leave | demasu | dete |
| arrive | tsukimasu | tsuite |
| take (time) | kakarimasu | kakatte |
| walk | arukimasu | aruite |

— VOCABULARY

| | | | |
|------------------|------------------|------------|--------------------|
| -fun/-pun (kan) | minute(s) | -kagetsu | month(s) (counter) |
| -jikan | hour(s) | -nen (kan) | year(s) |
| -ka/-nichi (kan) | day(s) (counter) | arukimasu | walk |
| -shūkan | week(s) | | |



Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given.

A State where someone will get on and off a means of public transportation.

ex Sumisu-san wa Tōkyō Eki de densha ni norimasu. Shinjuku Eki de densha o orimasu.

1 (chikatetsu)

2 (takushī)

3 (basu)

B State a person's departure and arrival time.

ex Takahashi-san wa 7-ji ni uchi o demashita. 8-ji ni kaisha ni tsukimashita.

1 (10-ji ni hōteru, 11-ji ni kūkō)

2 (asa Tōkyō, 1-ji goro Kyōto)



III Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the words suggested by the illustrations.

ex.

1

2

A Ask and give the route by which one commutes to work.

ex. Takahashi: Sumisu-san wa dōyatte kaisha ni ikimasu ka.

Sumisu: Akasaka de chikatetsu ni notte, Ōtemachi de orimasu. Ōtemachi kara kaisha made arukimasu.

1. Takahashi Chan-san wa

Chan

2. Takahashi Suzuki-san wa

Suzuki.

B Ask and answer what time one leaves home every day and what time one arrives at the office.

ex. Takahashi: Mainichi nan-ji ni uchi o demasu ka.

Sumisu: 7-ji ni demasu.

Takahashi: Nan-ji ni kaisha ni tsukimasu ka.

Sumisu: 7-ji han ni tsukimasu.

1 Takahashi

Chan

Takahashi:

Chan

2 Takahashi

Suzuki

Takahashi:

Suzuki



IV State how long one's commute to work is. Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given.

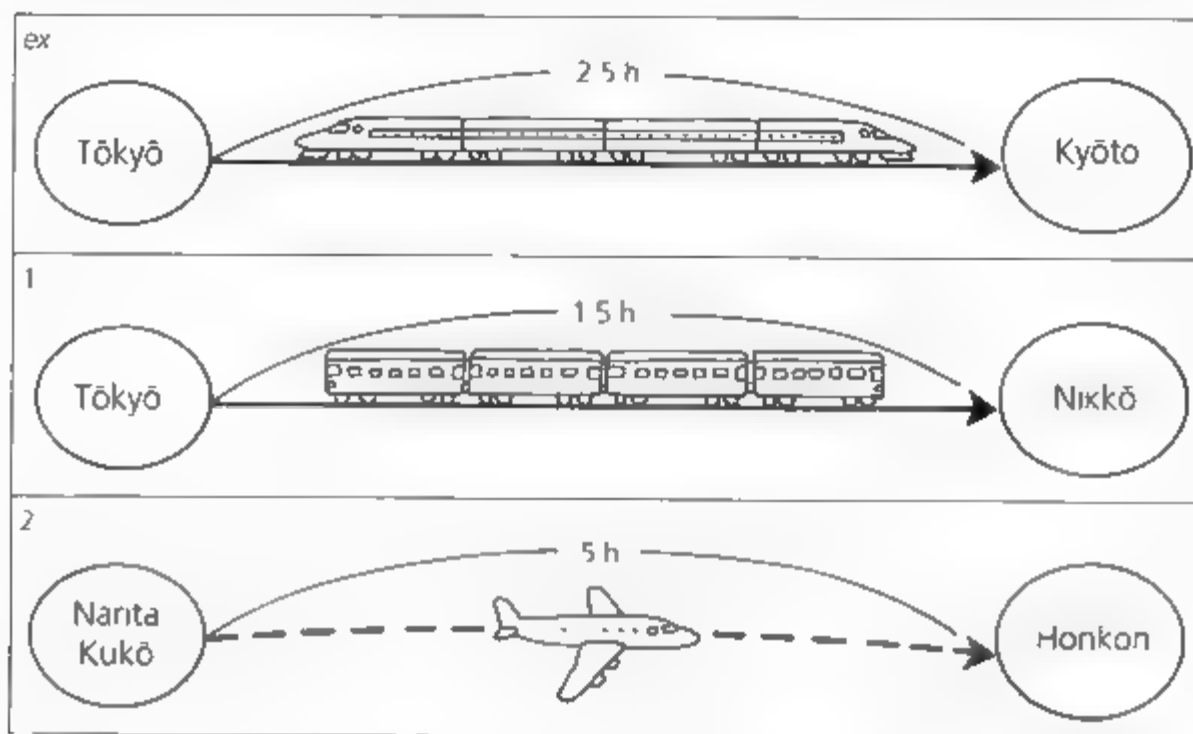
ex. Uchi kara kaisha made chikatetsu de 40-pun kakarimasu.

1 densha (densha, 1-ikan)

2 basu (basu, 45-fun)



V **Ask and answer how long it takes to get somewhere.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the words suggested by the illustrations.



ex Sumisu: Tōkyō kara Kyōto made donogurai kakarimasu ka.
Nakamura: Shinkansen de 2-jikan han kakarimasu.

1. Sumisu
Nakamura
2. Nakamura
Chan



VI **Ask and answer how long one stayed in a certain place.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given.

ex Sumisu: Takahashi-san wa donogurai Nyūyōku ni imashita ka.
Takahashi: 4-ka imashita.

- 1 Sumisu: (Honkon)
Takahashi: (2-shūkan)
- 2 Sumisu: (Sapporo)
Takahashi: (5-kagetsu)
- 3 Sumisu: (Sanfuranshisuko)
Takahashi: (3-nen)



VII Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given.

A. Talk about a summer vacation plan.

ex. Suzuki: Natsu-yasumi ni doko ni ikimasu ka.
 Nakamura: Pari ni itte, bijutsukan o mimasu.
 Suzuki: Sō desu ka. Donogurai Pari ni imasu ka.
 Nakamura: 1-shūkan imasu.
 Suzuki: Ii desu ne.

1 Suzuki

Nakamura: (Nyūyōku, myūjīkaru)

Suzuki: (Nyūyōku)

Nakamura: (6-ka)

Suzuki

2 Suzuki

Nakamura: (Kyōto, o-tera)

Suzuki: (Kyōto)

Nakamura: (5-ka)

Suzuki

B Invite someone to an event and tell him or her what the departure time will be.

ex. Katō: Ashita 11-ji kara Tōkyō Hōteru de o-kashi no fea ga arimasu. Chan-san mo
issho ni ikimasen ka.
 Chan: Hai. Nan-ji ni kaisha o demasu ka.
 Katō: Tōkyō Hōteru made 1-jikan gurai kakarimasu kara, 10-ji ni demasu.
 Chan: Wakarimashita.

1. Katō: (Odaiba)

Chan

Katō: (Odaiba, 30-pun, 10-ji han)

Chan.

2 Katō: (Yokohama)

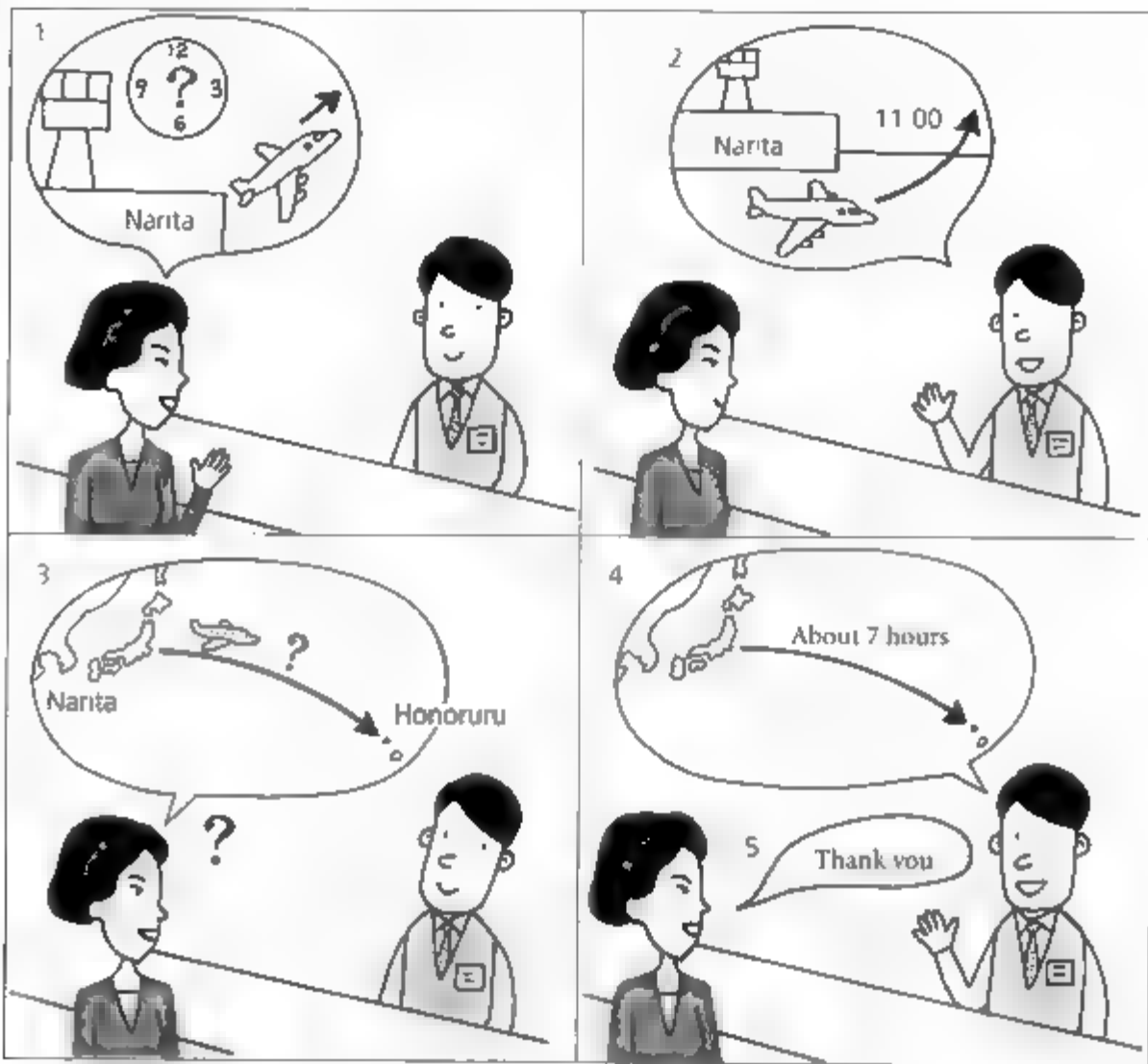
Chan:

Katō: (Yokohama, 1-jikan han, 9-ji han)

Chan.



VII. *Talk about a flight itinerary.* Complete the following dialogue using the information in the illustrations as a guide



1. Chan
2. ryokō-gaisha no hito
3. Chan
4. ryokō-gaisha no hito
5. Chan



IX. Listen to the CD and fill in the blanks based on the information you hear

Kaisha kara Nozomi Depōto made

de

gurai kakar masu

Honolulu
ryokō-gaisha

Honolulu
travel agency



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Mr. Green wants to go to Kamakura.

Gurin: Sumimasen, kono densha wa Kamakura ni ikimasu ka.
ekiin: Iie, ikimasen. Yokosuka-sen ni notte kudasai.
Gurin: Yoko— . . . nan desu ka.
ekiin: Yokosuka-sen desu. Chika 1-kai no 1-bansen desu yo.
Gurin: Arigatō gozaimasu.

Green: Excuse me. Does this train go to Kamakura?
station employee: No, it doesn't. Please take the Yokosuka Line.
Green: Yoko— . . . what is that?
station employee: The Yokosuka Line. It's platform no. 1 on the first underground floor.
Green: Thank you.

VOCABULARY

| | |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| ekiin | station employee |
| Yokosuka-sen | Yokosuka Line |
| -sen | (train) line |
| 1-bansen | platform number one |
| -bansen | platform number |

NOTES

1. Yoko— . . . nan desu ka.

When you only hear one part of a word and want to ask someone to repeat it, say **nan desu ka** after the part of the word that you understood.

Active Communication

If you're in Japan, ask a station employee the route and time required to get to a place you want to go to.



TARGET DIALOGUE

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Ms. Chan and Ms. Nakamura are looking at woodblock prints at the Sakura Art Museum. The two of them ask a museum employee some questions.

なかむら：きれいな うきよえですね。

チャン：ほんとうに きれいですね。

なかむら：すみません。うきよえの

しゃしんを とっても いいですか。

びじゅつかんの ひと：はい。

なかむら：あ、ここに えいごの

パンフレットが ありますよ。

チャン：そうですね。すみません。この パンフレットを

もらっても いいですか。

びじゅつかんの ひと：はい、どうぞ。

- チャンさんは さくらびじゅつかんで えいごの パンフレットをもらいました。

Nakamura: Kireina ukiyoe desu ne.

Chan: Hontô ni kirei desu ne.

Nakamura: Sumimasen. Ukiyoe no shashin o totte mo ii desu ka.

bijutsukan no hito: Hai.

Nakamura: A, koko ni Eigo no panfuretto ga arimasu yo.

Chan: Sô desu ne. Sumimasen. Kono panfuretto o moratte mo ii desu ka.

bijutsukan no hito: Hai, dōzo.

- Chan-san wa Sakura Bijutsukan de Eigo no panfuretto o moraimashita.

Nakamura: These are lovely ukiyoe prints, aren't they?

Chan: They really are lovely, aren't they?

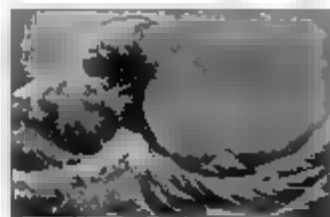
Nakamura: Excuse me. Is it all right to take pictures of the ukiyoe prints?
museum employee: Yes.

Nakamura: Oh, here's an English-language pamphlet.

Chan: You're right. Excuse me, is it all right to take this pamphlet?

museum employee: Sure, go ahead.

- Ms. Chan received an English-language pamphlet.



Ukiyoe

VOCABULARY

うきよえ

ukiyoe

ukiyoe (woodblock print)

とっても いいですか

totte mo ii desu ka

may I take (a photograph)?

パンフレット

panfuretto

pamphlet, brochure

NOTES

1. Shashin o totte mo ii desu ka.

Asking permission to do something is done using the following sentence construction: verb -te form + **mo ii desu ka**. To grant permission, say **hai, dōzo** ("yes, please [do]"), and to refuse permission, say **sumimasen ga, chotto**. ("I'm sorry, but that would be a little difficult.")

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



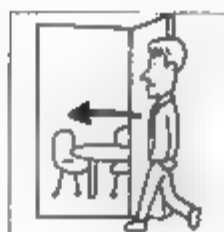
1. Verbs:



1 tsukaimasu



2 (tabako o) suimasu



3 hairimasu

VOCABULARY

tsukaimasu

use

(tabako o) suimasu

smoke (a cigarette)

tabako

cigarette

hairimasu

enter



1 ehagaki 2 iyahōn-gaido 3 panfuretto 4 katarogu

KEY SENTENCES

1. Kono e no shashin o totte mo ii desu ka.
2. Kono pen o tsukatte mo ii desu ka.

1. Is it all right to take a photograph of this picture?
2. Is it all right to use this pen?

EXERCISES



Practice conjugating verbs. Repeat the verbs below and memorize their **-te** forms

| | -MASU FORM | -TE FORM |
|-------|-------------------|-----------------|
| use | tsukaimasu | tsukatte |
| smoke | suimasu | sutte |
| enter | hairimasu | haitte |
| rest | yasumimasu | yasunde |



II **Ask permission to do something.** Change the sentences below as in the example

ex. **Kono katarogu o moraimasu.** → **Kono katarogu o moratte mo ii desu ka.**

1 Mado o akemasu →

2 Kono iyahōn-gaido o tsukaimasu. →

3 Kono e no shashin o torimasu. →

4 Koko de tabako o suimasu →

5 Ashita yasumimasu. →



I **Ask and grant permission to do something.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustrations



ex **Suzuki: Kono shiryō no kopī o shite mo ii desu ka.**

Katō: Hai, dōzo.

1 Suzuki

Katō

2 Suzuki

Katō

3 Suzuki

Katō



IV *Ask and refuse permission to do something.* Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustrations



ex Sumisu: Koko de o-kashi o tabete mo ii desu ka.
o-tera no hito: Sumimasen ga, chotto . . .

- 1 Sumisu
o-tera no hito
- 2 Sumisu
o-tera no hito
- 3 Sumisu
o-tera no hito



V *Get and give assistance at a store.* Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses.

ex Sumisu: Sumimasen, kono terebi no katarogu ga arimasu ka.
mise no hito: Hai, kore desu.
Sumisu: Moratte mo ii desu ka.
mise no hito: Hai, dōzo.

- 1 Sumisu. (ryokan, panfuretto)
mise no hito
Sumisu:
mise no hito

2 Sumisu:

mise no hito

Sumisu

mise no hito

(resutoran, kado)



VI **Ask for permission to borrow a pen.** Look at the illustrations and make up a dialogue that reflects what is happening



1 mise no hito

2 Sumisu

3 Sumisu

4 mise no hito

5 Sumisu



VII Listen to the CD and fill in the blanks based on the information you hear

Sumisu-san wa

kara

o tsukaimasu



- I Mr. Green has gone to the hospital to visit a sick friend. He first goes to the reception desk in the visiting area.

uketsuke: Go-jūsho to o-namae o kaite kudasai.

Gurin: Rōmaji de kaite mo ii desu ka.

uketsuke: Hai

receptionist: Please write your address and your name

Green: May I write in Roman letters?

receptionist: Yes

VOCABULARY

rōmaji romanized Japanese

- II Mr. Green is visiting a friend

Gurin: Koko ni nimotsu o oite mo ii desu ka.

tomodachi: Hai, dōzo.

Gurin: (after chatting for a while) Sumimasen. O-tearai o tsukatte mo ii desu ka.

tomodachi: Hai, dōzo.

Green: May I put my luggage here?

friend: Yes, please do

Green: Excuse me. May I use your bathroom?

friend: Yes, go right ahead

VOCABULARY

oite (-te form of okimasu)

okimasu put



If you're in Japan, go to various stores or public institutions and ask permission to do something—to take a photograph, for example

TARGET DIALOGUE -

Ms. Chan and Ms. Nakamura are looking at a picture of Mt. Fuji in the art museum

チャン：この ふじさんの えは とても きれいですね。

なかむら：そうですね。

チャン：なかむらさん、この えの まえで わたしの
しゃしんを とってください。

なかむら はい、わかりました。とりますよ。(takes a flash
picture)

びじゅつかんの ひと すみません、ここで フラッシュを つかわな
いでください。

なかむら：すみません、わかりました。

■ なかむらさんは ふじさんの えの まえで チャンさんの しゃ
しんを とりました。

Chan: Kono Fujisan no e wa totemo kirei desu ne.

Nakamura: Sô desu ne.

Chan: Nakamura-san, kono e no mae de watashi no shashin o totte kudasai.

Nakamura: Hai, wakarimashita. Torimasu yo. (takes a flash picture)

bijutsukan no hito: Sumimasen, koko de furasshu o tsukawanaide kudasai.

Nakamura: Sumimasen, wakarimashita.

■ Nakamura-san wa Fujisan no e no mae de Chan-san no shashin o torimashita.

Chan: This picture of Mt. Fuji is really lovely, isn't it?

Nakamura: Yes, it is.

Chan: Ms. Nakamura, please take a photograph of me in front of this picture

Nakamura: Okay, right. Are you ready?

museum employee: Excuse me. Please don't use a flash here

Nakamura: I'm sorry, I understand

■ Ms. Nakamura took a photograph of Ms. Chan in front of a picture of Mt. Fuji

ふじさん

とりますよ

フラッシュ

つかわないでください

Fujisan

torimasu yo

furasshu

tsukawanaide kudasai

Mt. Fuji

(said when you are about to take someone's photo)

flash

please don't use

1. Koko de furasshu o tsukawanaide kudasai.

The "please do not" construction is formed as follows: verb **-nai** + **de** + **kudasai**. This expression is often used by managers or officials when asking someone to refrain from doing something, although it can also be used by restaurant customers when requesting that a specific ingredient not be used.

ex. **Satō o irenaide kudasai.** "Please don't put any sugar in it."

To make this rather strong expression sound softer, give the reason why you would like the other person to refrain from doing what they are about to do.

ex. **Koko ni kuruma o tomenaide kudasai. Deguchi desu kara.**

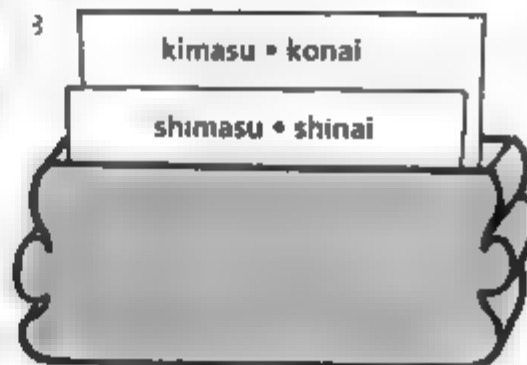
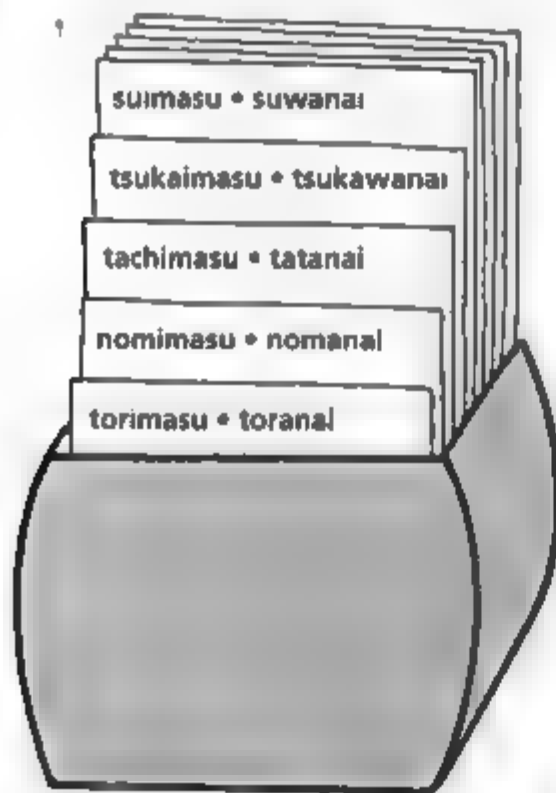
"Please do not park your car here. (This) is an exit."

PRACTICE

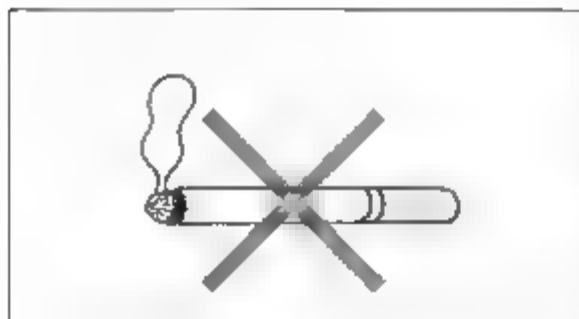
WORD POWER



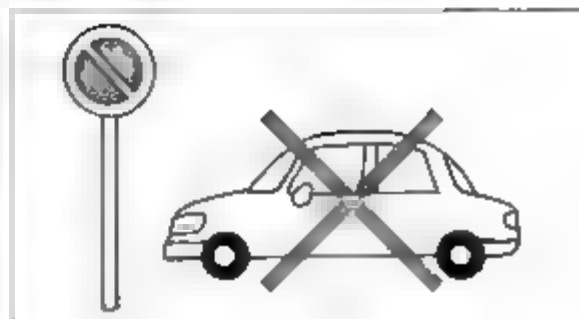
1. The -nai form:



II Restrictions.



1 kin'en



2 chusha-kinshi

KEY SENTENCES

1. Koko wa iriguchi desu kara, kuruma o tomenaide kudasai
2. Sushi ni wasabi o irenaide kudasai.

1. This is the entrance, so please don't park your car here
2. Please don't put any wasabi in the sushi

EXERCISES



1 Practice conjugating verbs. Repeat the verbs below and memorize their *-nai* forms

| REGULAR | | REGULAR II | | IRREGULAR | |
|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
| -MASU FORM | -NAI FORM | -MASU FORM | -NAI FORM | -MASU FORM | -NAI FORM |
| aimasu | awanai | misemasu | misenai | kimasu | konai |
| kakimasu | kakanai | iremasu | irenai | shimasu | shinai |
| keshimasu | kesanai | tabemasu | tabenai | | |
| tachimasu | tatanai | akemasu | akenai | | |
| nomimasu | nomanai | shimemasu | shimenai | | |
| kaerimasu | kaeranai | mimasu | minai | | |



Practice the -nai form. Change the following verbs to their **-nai** forms

ex **aimasu** → **awanai**

1 **akemasu** →

2 **shimemasu** →

3 **torimasu** →

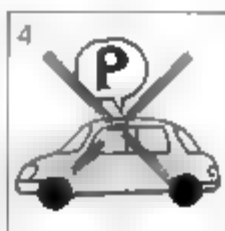
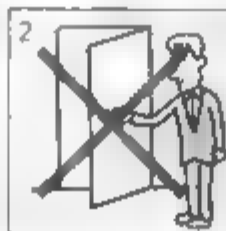
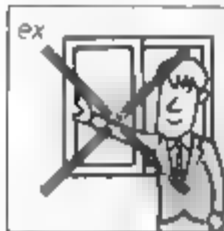
4 **kaimasu** →

5 **yomimasu** →

6 **kikimasu** →



III Forbid someone to do something. Look at the illustrations and make up sentences as in the example



ex **mado o akemasu** → **Mado o akenaide kudasai.**

1 **shashin o torimasu** →

2 **doa o shimemasu** →

3 **denki o keshimasu** →

4 **kuruma o tomemasu** →



IV Forbid someone to do something and give a reason. Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined part with the alternatives given

ex **Koko wa iriguchi desu kara, kuruma o tomenaide kudasai.**

1 (deguchi desu)

2 (mise no mae desu)

3 (chûsha-kinshi desu)





V Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined part(s) with the alternatives given.

A. Ask someone to refrain from smoking.

ex. Chan: Sumimasen, kono densha wa kin'en desu kara, tabako o suwanaide kudasai.
otoko no hito: Hai, wakarimashita. Sumimasen.

1. Chan: _____ (kono resutoran wa kin'en desu)
otoko no hito: _____

2. Chan: _____ (akachan ga imasu)
otoko no hito: _____

B. Order something at a restaurant and request that a specific ingredient not be used.

ex. Chan: Sumimasen, hambāgā o onegaishimasu.
mise no hito: Hai.
Chan: Sumimasen ga, kechappu o irenaide kudasai.
mise no hito: Hai, wakarimashita.

1. Chan: _____ (sushi)
mise no hito: _____

Chan: _____ (wasabi)
mise no hito: _____

2. Chan: _____ (sandoitchi)
mise no hito: _____

Chan: _____ (mayonēzu)
mise no hito: _____

3. Chan: _____ (aisu-kōhī)
mise no hito: _____

Chan: _____ (satō)
mise no hito: _____



VI Listen to the CD and fill in the blanks based on the information you hear.

Gogo kara _____ de _____ ga arimasu.



- I Mr. Smith got drunk at the Sasaki's house and spilled red wine on their clean carpet. The next day, he apologizes at the office.

Sumisu: Sasaki-san, kinō wa sumimasendeshita.

Sasaki: Iie, dōzo ki ni shinaide kudasai.

Smith: Ms. Sasaki, I'm so sorry about yesterday.

Sasaki: No, please don't let it bother you.

VOCABULARY

ki ni shinaide kudasai don't worry about it; don't let it bother you

ki ni shimasu worry (about), be bothered (by)

- II. Mr. Smith goes to the clinic with a stomachache.

isha: Kyō wa o-sake o nomanaide kudasai.

Sumisu: Hai, wakarimashita.

doctor: Don't drink any alcohol today.

Smith: Ok, I understand.

VOCABULARY

isha (medical) doctor

Active Communication

What would you say in these situations?

1. A stranger is trying to park in front of your house.
2. The person next to you lights up a cigarette in a nonsmoking car on the Shinkansen.

Quiz 4 (Unit 8-9)

I Fill in the blank(s) in each sentence with the appropriate particle. Where a particle is not needed, write in an X.

- Sumisu-san wa kaigi no mae () shiryō o yomimashita.
- Futatsu-me no kado () hidan () magatte kudasai.
- Depāto no saki () tomete kudasai.
- Takahashi-san wa Shibuya () densha () oite, basu () norimasu.
- Shibuya () Asakusa () chikatetsu () 40-pun kakarimasu.
- Takahashi-san wa Honkon () 1-shukan () imashita.
- Shinkansen wa 8-ji () Tōkyō Eki () dete, 10-ji () Kyōto Eki () tsukimasu.
- Koko () chusha-kinshi desu (), kuruma () tomenaide kudasai.

II Complete each question by filling in the blank with the appropriate word.

- Shūmatsu ni () o shimashita ka.
Ginza ni itte, kaimono o shimashita.
- () Ōsaka-shisha ni denwa o shimashita ka.
Kaigi no mae ni shimashita.
- () kaisha ni ikimasu ka.
Shibuya de chikatetsu ni notte, Ginza de orimasu. Ginza kara kaisha made 10-pun arukimasu.
- Tōkyō kara Ōsaka made hikōki de () kakanimasu ka.
1-jikan gurai kakanimasu.

III Complete the table by writing in the appropriate forms of the verbs.

| | -MASU FORM | -TE FORM | -NAI FORM |
|-----|------------|----------|-----------|
| ex. | tsukaimasu | tsukatte | tsukawana |
| 1. | kakimasu | kaite | |
| 2. | | keshite | kesana |
| 3. | nomimasu | | nomana |
| 4. | torimasu | totte | |
| 5. | shimemasu | | shimenai |
| 6. | | akete | akenai |
| 7. | mimasu | | minai |
| 8. | kimasu | kite | |
| 9. | | shite | shinai |

IV Complete the sentences by filling in the blank(s) with the appropriate form of the word(s) given at the end.

1. Sumisu-san wa kinō shigoto no ato de tomodachi to eiga o (), ban-gohan o tabemashita (mimasu)
2. Sumisu-san wa kinō hana o (), uchi ni kaenmashita (kaimasu)
3. Oishii sushi-ya o () kudasai. (oshiemasu)
4. Tsugi no kōsaten o migi ni (), massugu () kudasai (maganmasu, ikimasu)
5. Kono katarogu o () mo ii desu ka. (moraimasu)
6. Koko wa deguchi desu kara, kuruma o () kudasai (tomemasu)



UNIT

10

AT THE OFFICE

Walking into a traditional Japanese company, one will notice the absence of high partitions and cubicles. Most Japanese offices are open, with desks facing one another so that employees can readily communicate. This arrangement is efficient because it saves on space; and in a country where land prices can be astronomical, such efficiency is important. Another feature of such offices is the conspicuous hierarchy: in one desk with a view of all others sits the office manager, and in front of him the division chief, then the section chief, and so on down to the bottom. Recently, however, Japanese companies have been modifying the traditional layout to make their offices more functional for the people who work in them, or more aesthetically pleasing to visitors.

Present Progressive and Habitual Actions

person wa verb -te imasu

- ex **Gurei-san wa ima kaigi-shitsu de repōto o yonde imasu.**
 "Mr. Grey is reading a report in the meeting room now."
Gurei-san wa maishū do-yōbi ni tenisu o shite imasu
 "Mr. Grey plays tennis every Saturday."

A verb in the **-te** form followed by **imasu** expresses a present-progressive action ("is doing"), as in the first example above, or, when accompanied by an adverb like **maishū** ("every week") or **mainichi** ("every day"), a habitual action, as in the second example.

Current States

person wa verb -te imasu

- ex **Gurei-san wa Yokohama ni sunde imasu.** "Mr. Grey lives in Yokohama."
Gurei-san wa Ginkō ni tsutomete imasu. "Mr. Grey is employed at a bank."
Ano mise de terebi o utte imasu. "At that store (they) sell TVs."
Gurei-san wa Yoshida-san no jūsho o shitte imasu. "Mr. Grey knows Mr. Yoshida's address."

The **-te imasu** form can also express a current state when the verb is one of those used in the examples above—**sumimasu**, **tsutomemasu**, **urimasu**, or **shirimasu**.

NOTE. The verb **shirimasu** ("know") from which **shitte imasu** derives, is usually used in the **-te** form followed by **imasu**. But the form this verb takes when used in response to the question **shitte imasu ka** ("do you know?") varies, and in this way it is unlike other verbs.

- ex Aa, **Hai, shitte imasu.** "Yes, (I) know."
 An, **lie, shirimasen.** "No, (I) don't know."



TARGET DIALOGUE

Mr. Smith is looking for Ms. Chan. He enters the sales department office and asks Mr. Suzuki where she is.

スミス：すみません。チャンさんは いますか。

すずき：いいえ。いま 3がいの かいぎしつに います。

スミス：そうですか。

すずき：いま、のぞみデパートの たかはしさんに あたらしい
しょうひんの せつめいを しています。

スミス：そうですか。わかりました。どうも。

■ スミスさんは えいぎょうぶに いきましたが、 チャンさんは
いませんでした。

Sumisu: Sumimasen. Chan-san wa imasu ka.

Suzuki: Iie. Ima 3-gai no kaigishitsu ni imasu.

Sumisu: Sô desu ka.

Suzuki: Ima, Nozomi Depôto no Takahashi-san ni atarashii shôhin no setsumei o shite
imasu.

Sumisu: Sô desu ka. Wakarimashita. Dômo.

■ Sumisu-san wa eigyô-bu ni ikimashita ga, Chan-san wa imasendeshita.

Smith: Excuse me. Is Ms. Chan here?

Suzuki: No, she's in the conference room on the third floor.

Smith: Is that so?

Suzuki: Yes, she's explaining new products to Mr. Takahashi of Nozomi Department Store.

Smith: Is that so? I see. Thanks.

■ Mr. Smith went to the sales department office (to look for Ms. Chan), but Ms. Chan was not there.

VOCABULARY

せつめいを しています

せつめいを します

えいぎょうぶ

が

setsumei o shite imasu

setsumei o shimasu

eigyô-bu

ga

is/are explaining

explain

sales department (office)

but (see Note 1 below)

NOTES

1. Sumisu-san wa eigyo-bu ni ikimashita ga, Chan-san wa imasendeshita.

This **ga** is a conjunction that joins two clauses. It can be translated as "but."

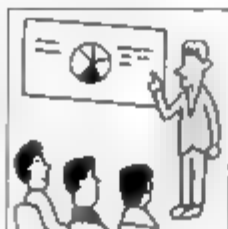
WORD POWER



I. Verbs.



1 hanashi o shimasu



2 setsumei o shimasu



3 sôji o shimasu



4 tsukurimasu

« Parts of a building



1 robi

2 erebētā

3 esukarētā

4 kaidan

KEY SENTENCES

1. Sumisu-san wa ima shimbun o yonde imasu.
2. Mō kaigi no repōto o kakimashita ka.
3. Sumisu-san wa Takahashi-san no uchi ni ikimashita ga, Takahashi-san wa uchi ni imasendeshita.

- 1 Mr. Smith is reading a newspaper now
- 2 Have you already written the report about the meeting?
- 3 Mr. Smith went to Mr. Takahashi's house, but Mr. Takahashi was not at home

EXERCISES



- I **Practice conjugating verbs.** Repeat the verbs below and memorize their **-te imasu** forms: affirmative and negative

| | -MASU FORM | -TE IMASU FORM | |
|---------|--------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| | | <i>aff</i> | <i>neg</i> |
| talk | hanashi o shimasu | hanashi o shite imasu | hanashi o shite imasen |
| explain | setsumei o shimasu | setsumei o shite imasu | setsumei o shite imasen |
| clean | sōji o shimasu | sōji o shite imasu | sōji o shite imasen |
| make | tsukurimasu | tsukutte imasu | tsukutte imasen |



- II **State what someone is doing now.** Change the following sentences as in the example

ex. Sumisu-san wa shimbun o yomimasu.

→ Sumisu-san wa shimbun o yonde imasu.

- 1 Sumisu-san wa sōji o shimasu. →
- 2 Sumisu-san wa tegami o kakimasu. →
- 3 Sumisu-san wa kopi o shimasu. →
- 4 Sumisu-san wa Takahashi-san to hanashi o shimasu. →
- 5 Sumisu-san wa ryōn o tsukurimasu. →



11 Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples and based on the situations depicted in the illustrations.



A Ask and answer what one is doing now.

ex. 1 A: Gurin-san wa ima nani o shite imasu ka.
B: Denwa o shite imasu.

1 A

B

2 A

B

3 A

B

4 A

B

5 A

B

6 A

B

B. Answer what one is doing now in response to a question.

ex 2 A: Katō-san wa ima repōto o kaite imasu ka.
B: Iie, kaigishitsu de setsumei o shite imasu.

7 A: Sasaki-san wa ima kaigi o shite imasu ka

B:

8 A: Nakamura-san wa ima denwa o shite imasu ka

B:

9 A: Chan-san wa ima Sasaki-san to hanashi o shite imasu ka

B:



IV Ask and answer whether one has completed an action. Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given. Be sure to use the same grammatical form as in the example.

ex A: Mō hiru-gohan o tabemashita ka.
B: Hai, tabemashita.

1 A: nyokō no shashin o mimasu ka. (nyokō no shashin, mimasu)

B: mimasu. (mimasu)

2 A: kaigi no repōto o kakimasu ka. (kaigi no repōto, kakimasu)

B: kakimasu. (kakimasu)



V Connect two clauses. Link each pair of sentences as in the example.

ex Watashi wa Takahashi-san no uchi ni ikimashita. Takahashi-san wa uchi ni imasendeshita.

→ Watashi wa Takahashi-san no uchi ni ikimashita ga, Takahashi-san wa uchi ni imasendeshita.

1 Watashi wa eigyō-bu no Chan-san ni denwa o shimashita. Chan-san wa imasendeshita.

→

2 Watashi wa kōnō depōto ni ikimashita. Depōto wa yasumideshita.

→



VI Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given. Be sure to use the same grammatical forms as in the examples.

A. Explain that one is in the midst of something.

ex Katō: **Mō kopī o shimashita ka.**

Suzuki: Sumimasen, ima shite imasu kara, chotto matte kudasai.

Katō: Hai.

1 Katō: (mēru, yomimasu)

Suzuki: (yomimasu)

Katō:

2 Katō: (kaigi no shiryō, tsukurimasu)

Suzuki: (tsukurimasu)

Katō:

B. Respond to a cell phone call by suggesting it is inconvenient or inappropriate to talk at the moment.

ex Mr. Smith gets a call on his cell phone from his friend Mr. Yamada. Since he is in a meeting, he answers quietly.

Yamada: Moshimoshi, Sumisu-san desu ka.

Sumisu: Hai.

Yamada: Yamada desu.

Sumisu: Yamada-san, sumimasen ga, ima kaigi o shite imasu.

Yamada: Ja, mata ato de denwa o shimasu.

Sumisu: Onegaishimasu.

1 Yamada:

Sumisu:

Yamada:

Sumisu: (o-kyaku-san to hanashi o shimasu)

Yamada:

Sumisu:

2 Yamada:

Sumisu:

Yamada:

Sumisu: (Nihon-go no gakkō de benkyō o shimasu.)

Yamada:

Sumisu:



VI Listen to the CD and choose the correct answer to the question asked



SHORT DIALOGUES



Ms. Sasaki is waiting for Ms. Chan's report on her business trip to Hokkaido.

Sasaki: Chan-san, repōto wa mō kakimashita ka.

Chan: Sumimasen, mada desu. Mō sukoshi matte kudasai.

Sasaki: Ms. Chan, have you already written the report?

Chan: I'm sorry. Not yet. Please wait a bit more.

VOCABULARY

mada not yet

mō sukoshi a little more

II. Mr. Suzuki is looking for an empty room.

Suzuki: Sumimasen. 3-gai no kaigishitsu o tsukatte mo ii desu ka.

Nakamura: Ee. Ima dare mo tsukatte imasen kara, dōzo.

Suzuki: Excuse me. Is it all right to use the conference room on the third floor?

Nakamura: Yes, since no one is using it now. Go right ahead.

NOTES

1. Repōto wa . . .

Although **repōto** ("report") is the object, Ms. Sasaki is singling it out as a topic for discussion, so **wa** replaces the object marker **o**.

2. Repōto wa mō kakimashita ka.

It should be noted that the verb ending **-mashita**, when used with **mō** ("a ready"), expresses completion in addition to indicating the past tense.

Active Communication

Imagine that you are in a meeting or involved in some activity that you can't break away from, and a call comes in on your cell phone. Explain in Japanese to the person on the other end of the line why it is inconvenient for you to talk at the moment.



TARGET DIALOGUE

A customer from Nagoya has phoned to inquire about ABC Foods' new products

チャン：はい、ABC フーズでございます。

きやく すみません、ABC フーズの あたらしい チョコレートは
どこで うっていますか。

チャン：「ショコラショコラ」ですか。

きやく：ええ、そうです。

チャン：どうきょうの スーパーと コンビニで うっています。

きやく わたしは なごやに すんでいます。なごやでも うっていますか。

チャン いいえ、なごやでは うっていません。もうしわけございません。

きやく：そうですか。わかりました。

チャン：たいへん もうしわけございません。

■ ABC フーズの 「ショコラショコラ」 は どうきょうの スーパー
と コンビニで うっています。

Chan: Hai, ABC Fūzu de gozaimasu.

kyaku: Sumimasen, ABC Fūzu no atarashii chokorēto wa doko de utte imasu ka.

Chan: "Shokora-shokora" desu ka.

kyaku: Ee, sō desu.

Chan: Tōkyō no sūpā to kombini de utte imasu.

kyaku: Watashi wa Nagoya ni sunde imasu. Nagoya de mo utte imasu ka.

Chan: Iie, Nagoya de wa utte imasen. Mōshiwake gozaimasen.

kyaku: Sō desu ka. Wakarimashita.

Chan: Taihen mōshiwake gozaimasen.

■ ABC Fūzu no "Shokora-shokora" wa Tōkyō no sūpā to kombini de utte imasu.

Chan: Yes, this is ABC Foods.

customer: Excuse me, about ABC Foods' new chocolates—where do you sell them?

Chan: Do you mean "Chocolat-Chocolat"?

customer: Yes, that's right.

Chan: We sell them at supermarkets and convenience stores in Tokyo.

customer: I live in Nagoya. Do you sell them in Nagoya?

Chan: No, we do not sell them in Nagoya. I'm sorry to have to tell you this.

customer: Is that so? I see.

Chan: I'm really very sorry.

■ As for Chocolat-Chocolat, ABC Foods sells it in supermarkets and convenience stores in Tokyo.

| | | |
|-------------|----------------------|---|
| うっています | utte imasu | sell |
| うります | urimasu | sell |
| ショコラ/ショコラ | Shokora-shokora | Chocolat-Chocolat (fictitious product name) |
| なごや | Nagoya | Nagoya (city in central Japan) |
| すんでいます | sunde imasu | live |
| すみます | sumimasu | live |
| もうしわけございません | mōshiwake gozaimasen | I'm sorry to have to tell you this
(politer way of saying <i>sumimasen</i>) |
| たいへん | taihen | very much, extremely (politer way of saying <i>tottemo</i>) |

NOTES

1. ABC Fūzu no atarashii chokorēto wa doko de utte imasu ka.

Although **chokorēto** is the object, here it is being singled out as the topic and therefore takes the particle **wa** instead of **o**.

2. Watashi wa Nagoya ni sunde imasu.

The particle **ni** is used to indicate the place where one lives or is employed

ex. **Yamada-san wa ginkō ni tsutomete imasu** "Ms. Yamada is employed at a bank."

3. Nagoya de mo utte imasu ka.

lie, Nagoya de wa utte imasen.

Note the positions of the particles **de** and **mo** here. In Ms. Chan's reply, she uses the topic marker **wa** after **de** to show that "Nagoya" is the topic. "As for Nagoya, (Chocolat-Chocolat) is not sold there."

Note that while one particle may normally follow another, as do **mo** and **wa** after **de** in the sentences above, **mo** and **wa** never follow the particles **ga** or **o** but simply take their place. Similarly, **mo** and **wa** are never used together; one or the other is used.

PRACTICE

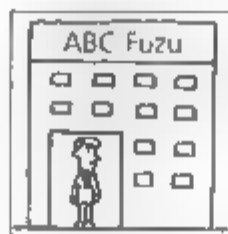
WORD POWER



I. Verbs.



1 sunde imasu



2 tsutomete imasu



3 shitte imasu



4 utte imasu

I. Family

| | RELATED TO THE SPEAKER | RELATED TO OTHERS |
|-----------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| child | kodomo | okosan |
| son | musuko | musukosan |
| daughter | musume | ojōsan/musumesan |
| older brother | ani | onisan |
| older sister | ane | onēsan |
| younger brother | otōto | otōtosan |
| younger sister | imōto | imōtosan |

KEY SENTENCES

1. Takahashi-san wa Yokohama ni sunde imasu.
2. Sumisu-san wa ABC Fūzu ni tsutomete imasu.
3. Sumisu-san wa Itō-san o shitte imasu.
4. Kombini de konsāto no kippu o utte imasu.

1. Mr. Takahashi lives in Yokohama.
2. Mr. Smith is employed by ABC Foods.
3. Mr. Smith knows Ms. Ito.
4. They sell concert tickets at convenience stores.

EXERCISES



Practice conjugating verbs. Repeat the verbs below and memorize their **-te imasu** forms, affirmative and negative.

| | -MASU FORM | -TE IMASU FORM | |
|-------------|--------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| | | <i>aff</i> | <i>neg</i> |
| live | sumimasu | sunde imasu | sunde imasen |
| be employed | tsutomemasu | tsutomete imasu | tsutomete imasen |
| know | * | shitte imasu | shirimasen** |
| sell | urimasu | utte imasu | utte imasen |

* **shirimasu**—the affirmative present tense—is hardly ever used.

** The negative **-te imasu** form is **shitte imasen**, but this form is not used.



- I **State where someone lives.** Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses.

ex. Yamamoto-san wa Kyōto ni sunde imasu.

- | | |
|---|--------------------------|
| 1 | (Guīn-san, Shibuya) |
| 2 | (Nakamura-san, Shinjuku) |



- II **Ask and answer where someone lives.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses.

ex. A. Takahashi-san wa doko ni sunde imasu ka.
B. Yokohama ni sunde imasu.

- | | | |
|---|---|---------------|
| 1 | A | (Yamada-san) |
| | B | (Shibuya) |
| 2 | A | (Howaito-san) |
| | B | (Roppongi) |



- IV **State where someone is employed.** Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses.

ex. Takahashi-san wa depāto ni tsutomete imasu.

- | | |
|---|------------------------|
| 1 | (Yamada-san, ginkō) |
| 2 | (Sumisu-san, ABC Fūzu) |



- V **Ask and answer where someone is employed.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses.

ex. Yamada: Buraun-san wa doko ni tsutomete imasu ka.
Sumisu: Rondon Ginkō ni tsutomete imasu.

- | | | |
|---|--------|-------------------------|
| 1 | Yamada | (Howaito-san) |
| | Sumisu | (JBP Japan) |
| 2 | Yamada | (Suzuki-san no on'isan) |
| | Sumisu | (ryokō-gaisha) |



VI State where someone lives and is employed. Use the information in the table to make up sentences as in the example.

| | PERSON | RESIDENCE | EMPLOYER |
|----|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| ex | Andō-san | Shinagawa | JBP Japan |
| 1 | Gurin-san | Shibuya | ABC Fūzu |
| 2 | Nakamura-san no imōtōsan | Sapporo | ginkō |
| 3 | Chan-san no onēsan | Honkon | depāto |

ex. **Andō-san wa Shinagawa ni sunde imasu.**
Soshite, JBP Japan ni tsutomete imasu.

1

2

3



VII Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the alternatives given

A. *Confirm whether one knows someone or something.*

ex. A: Sasaki-san o shitte imasu ka.
 B: Hai, shitte imasu.

1. A: _____ (Buraun-san)

B: Hai,

2. A: _____ (Takahashi-san no jūsho)

B: Hai,

B. *Deny that one knows someone or something.*

ex. A: Howaito-san o shitte imasu ka.
 B: Iie, shirimasen

1. A: _____ (Chan-san no mēru-adoresu)

B: Iie

2. A: _____ (Suzuki-san no denwa-bangō)

B: Iie,



VIII *Ask and answer whether one knows a particular address or fax number.* Use the information in the table to make up a dialogue as in the example

| | Restaurant Tokyo's fax | Restaurant Tokyo's address | Sapporo branch office's fax |
|--------|------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| SUZUKI | ex. yes | 1. yes | 2. no |

ex **Sumisu:** Resutoran Tōkyō no fakkusu no bangō o shitte imasu ka.
Suzuki: Hai, shitte imasu.

1 Sumisu

Suzuki

2 Sumisu

Suzuki



IX *Ask where a product is sold.* Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given

ex **A:** Konsāto no kippu wa doko de utte imasu ka.
B: Kombini de utte imasu.

1 **A:** deji kame (deji kame)

B: Nozomi Depāto (Nozomi Depāto)

2 **A:** kusun (kusun)

B: ano mise (ano mise)



X *Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given*

A. Talk about a new product.

ex **Hofuman:** ABC Fūzu no atarashii o-kashi o shitte imasu ka.
Matsui: Ee, shitte imasu.
Hofuman: Doko de utte imasu ka.
Matsui: Ginza no depāto de utte imasu.

1 **Hofuman:** Fuji Kompyūtā no atarashii gēmu (Fuji Kompyūtā no atarashii gēmu)

Matsu:

Hofuman:

Matsui: Shinjuku no denki-ya (Shinjuku no denki-ya)

2. Hofuman (mēpuru-shiroppu)

Matsui

Hofuman.

Matsui (sūpā)

B. Talk about a particular person.

ex Mr. Smith meets various people for the first time at a party

Sumisu: **Andō-san, o-shigoto wa nan desu ka.**

Andō: **Enjinia desu. JBP Japan ni tsutomete imasu.**

Sumisu: **Sō desu ka. Ja, Yokohama-shisha no Itō-san o shitte imasu ka.**

Andō: **Ee, shitte imasu**

1. Sumisu

Kojima: (hissho)

Sumisu: (Ōsaka-shisha no Yamashita-san)

Kojima

2. Sumisu

Kobayashi: (bengoshi)

Sumisu: (Honkon-shisha no Wan-san)

Kobayashi

C. Talk about a particular person's telephone number or e-mail address.

ex Sumisu: **JBP Japan no Itō-san o shitte imasu ka.**

Nakamura: **Hai, shitte imasu.**

Sumisu: **Ja, Itō-san no denwa-bangō o shitte imasu ka.**

Nakamura: **Iie, shirimasen.**

1. Sumisu: (Wan-san)

Nakamura

Sumisu: (Wan-san no mēru-adoresu)

Nakamura

2. Sumisu: (Andō-san)

Nakamura

Sumisu: (Andō-san no keitai no bangō)

Nakamura



X Listen to the CD and answer the question based on the information you hear

SHORT DIALOGUE



Mr. Smith wants to make a reservation at the sushi restaurant Sushimasa, but he doesn't know the phone number

Sumisu: Sumimasen Sushimasa no denwa-bangō o shitte imasu ka.

Nakamura: Sā, wakarimasen. Suzuki-san ni kite kudasai.

Smith: Excuse me. Do you know the phone number for Sushimasa?

Nakamura: Actually, I don't. Please ask Mr. Suzuki.

VOCABULARY

Sushimasa

Sushimasa (fictitious sushi bar)

sā, wakarimasen

don't know (note: The sā here expresses the speaker's hesitation about immediately answering, "I don't know.")

sā

let me see

Active Communication

- 1 Next time you meet a Japanese person for the first time, tell him or her where you live and where you are employed. Then ask that person where he or she lives and is employed.
2. If you're in Japan, ask where something you are looking for is sold.

Don't forget to ask
if you're going to be
invited to the party.
Then ask that person what
you live and where you live.
Fix the time and place.
Next time you meet a lady



UNIT

11

SOCIALIZING

The Japanese have an international reputation of being hardworking people, the men devoted to their work and the women to their families. But while they may be diligent, they are also social, and there are many kinds of celebrations—most season-inspired—that they participate in. From cherry blossom viewing in the spring, when friends and colleagues get together to appreciate the beauty of the ephemeral cherry blossoms, to excursions in autumn to see the changing of the colors of the leaves, to year-end and new-year parties, the Japanese have get-togethers whenever the seasons beckon them. In addition to these annual events, though, they also enjoy western style gatherings: drinking parties, barbecues, and even home parties.

Preference and Desire

| | | | | |
|--------|----|------|----|------------|
| person | wa | noun | ga | suki desu |
| // | | | | jōzu desu |
| // | | | | wakarimasu |

ex **Gurei-san wa biru ga suki desu.** "Mr. Grey likes beer."

Gurei-san wa tenisu ga jōzu desu. "Mr. Grey is good at tennis."

Gurei-san wa Chūgoku-go ga wakarimasu. "Mr. Grey understands/knows Chinese."

■ The particle **ga** used with **suki desu**, **jōzu desu**, **itai desu**, and **wakarimasu**

Ga is used before the adjectives **suki desu** ("like", *lit.* "be likable"), **jōzu desu** ("be skilled"), and **itai desu** ("be painful"), and also before the verb **wakarimasu** ("understand"), to show what one likes or is skilled at, what part of one's body hurts, or what one understands.

NOTE: With **itai desu**, the topic of the sentence is always the speaker, and the subject is a body part.

watashi wa verb -tai desu

■ Expressing desire: verb **-tai desu**

Constructions expressing desire ("I want to...") can be made from the **-masu** form by dropping **-masu** and adding **-tai** as follows.

iku-masu → **iki-tai**

tabe-masu → **tabe-tai**

NOTE: **-tai** is inflected like an **-i** adjective.

ex **Ikitaidesu.** "(I) want to go."

Ikitaikunaidesu. "(I) don't want to go."

Ikitaikattadesu. "(I) wanted to go."

Ikitaikunakattadesu. "(I) didn't want to go."

■ **-Tai** expresses the speaker's desire, not a third person's

ex **Takushi de ikitaidesu.** "(I) want to go by taxi."

The particle **ka** may be added to **-tai desu** to form a question ("do you want to...?"), although this type of question is often considered impolite, especially when directed at a social superior. To ask if someone wants to do something, it is safest to use the **-masu** form followed by **ka**, as in **Takushi de ikimasu ka** ("Do you [want to] go by taxi?").

NOTE: The particle **ga** is sometimes used instead of **o**.

ex **Wain o/ga nomitaidesu.** "(I) want to drink wine."



TARGET DIALOGUE

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The Greens are having a formal party at their house. During the party, Mr. Green introduces Mr. Smith to his friend Mr. Ogawa.

グリーン：スミスさん、こちらは おがわさんです。

おがわ はじめまして、おがわです。よろしく おねがいします。

スミス ABC フーズの スミスです。よろしく おねがいします。

グリーン：おがわさん、わたしは スミスさんと まいしゅう どようびに テニスを しています。スミスさんは テニスが とても じょうずです。

おがわ：そうですか。わたしも テニスが すきです。

スミス ジャ、こんしゅうの どようびに おがわさんも いっしょに テニスを しませんか。

おがわ：ありがとうございます。ぜひ。

- グリーンさんは まいしゅう どようびに スミスさんと テニスを しています。こんしゅうの どようびは おがわさんも いっしょに テニスを します。

Gurin: Sumisu-san, kochira wa Ogawa-san desu.

Ogawa: Hajimemashite, Ogawa desu. Yoroshiku onegaishimasu.

Sumisu: ABC Fûzu no Sumisu desu. Yoroshiku onegaishimasu.

Gurin: Ogawa-san, watashi wa Sumisu-san to maishû do-yôbi ni tenisu o shite imasu. Sumisu-san wa tenisu ga totemo jôzu desu.

Ogawa: Sô desu ka. Watashi mo tenisu ga suki desu.

Sumisu: Ja, konshû no do-yôbi ni Ogawa-san mo issho ni tenisu o shimasen ka.

Ogawa: Arigatô gozaimasu. Zehi.

- Gurin-san wa maishû do-yôbi ni Sumisu-san to tenisu o shite imasu. Konshû no do-yôbi wa Ogawa-san mo issho ni tenisu o shimasu.

Green: Mr. Smith, this is Mr. Ogawa.

Ogawa: How do you do. I'm Ogawa. Pleased to meet you.

Smith: I'm Smith from ABC Foods. Pleased to meet you.

Green: Mr. Ogawa, I play tennis with Mr. Smith every Saturday. He's very good at tennis.

Ogawa: Is that so? I like tennis, too.

Smith: Well, would you like to play tennis with us this Saturday, too?

Ogawa: Thank you. I'll definitely be there.

- Mr. Green plays tennis with Mr. Smith every Saturday. This Saturday, Mr. Ogawa will play tennis with them.

| | | |
|--------|-----------|-----------------------------------|
| テニス | tenisu | tennis |
| じょうずです | jōzu desu | be skilled, be good at (-na adj.) |

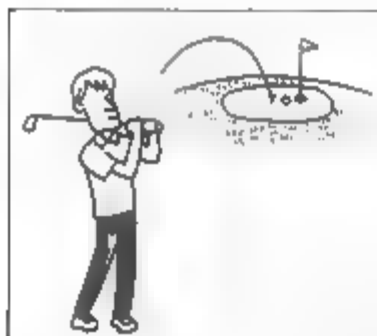
NOTES

1. Sumisu-san wa tenisu ga totemo jōzu desu.

The adjective **jōzu desu** ("be skilled") is applied to another person. Japanese never use this word in reference to themselves or members of their families. Therefore, one does not usually ask . . . **ga jōzu desu ka** ("are you good at . . . ?")

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



1 jōzu desu



2 suki desu



3 wakarimasu

II Sports.



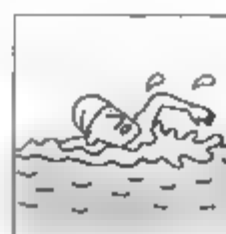
1 suki



2 sakkā



3 yakyū



4 surei

| | | | |
|------------|-----------------------|-------|--------------------------|
| jōzu desu | be skilled (-na adj.) | sakkā | soccer (see also p. 142) |
| suki desu | like (-na adj.) | yakyū | baseball |
| wakarimasu | understand | surei | swimming |
| suki | sking | | |

KEY SENTENCES

1. Sumisu-san wa tenisu ga jōzu desu.
2. Takahashi-san wa kudamono ga suki desu.
3. Sumisu-san wa Nihon-go ga wakarimasu.

- 1 Mr. Smith is good at tennis.
- 2 Mr. Takahashi likes fruit.
- 3 Mr. Smith understands Japanese.

EXERCISES



- I Practice conjugating verbs and adjectives. Repeat the words below and memorize their forms—present and past, affirmative and negative.

| | | PRESENT FORM | | PAST FORM | |
|---------|------------|--------------|--------------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| | | aff | neg | aff | neg |
| -NA ADJ | be skilled | jōzu desu | jōzu dewa arimasen | jōzu deshita | jōzu dewa arimasendeshita |
| | like, love | suki desu | suki dewa arimasen | suki deshita | suki dewa arimasendeshita |
| VERB | understand | wakarimasu | wakarimasen | wakarimashita | wakarimasendeshita |



- II Make up sentences following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses.

A. State what someone is skilled at.

ex. Nakamura-san wa gorufu ga jōzu desu.

1. Nakamura-san wa tenisu ga jōzu desu. (tenisu)

2. Nakamura-san wa suki desu. (suki)

3. Nakamura-san wa Eigo ga wakariimasu. (Eigo)

B. State what someone likes.

ex. Nakamura-san wa kudamono ga suki desu.

1. Nakamura-san wa sukiyaki ga suki desu. (sukiyaki)

2. Nakamura-san wa ryokō ga suki desu. (ryokō)

3. Nakamura-san wa sakkā ga suki desu. (sakkā)

C State what someone understands.





















































ex. Sumisu-san wa Nihon-go ga wakarimasu.

1 _____ (Furansu-go)

2 _____ (kanji)



III Make up sentences or dialogues following the patterns of the examples and based on the information in the chart below

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A. State the things someone likes, is skilled at, and understands.

ex **Katō-san wa o-sake ga suki desu. Gorufu ga jōzu desu. Eigo ga wakarimasu.**

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B. State the things someone dislikes, is unskilled at, and does not understand.

ex **Katō-san wa kōhī ga suki dewa arimasen. Tenisu ga jōzu dewa arimasen. Furansu-go ga wakarimasen.**

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C. Ask and answer whether someone likes or understands something.

ex. **Takahashi: Katō-san wa o-sake ga suki desu ka.**

Katō: Hai, suki desu.

Takahashi: Katō-san wa Furansu-go ga wakarimasu ka.

Katō: Iie, wakarimasen.

1. **Takahashi: Sumisu-san wa biru ga suki desu ka.**

Sumisu

Takahashi: Sumisu-san wa Nihon-go ga wakanmasu ka

Sumisu

2. **Takahashi: Chan-san wa kōhī ga suki desu ka**

Chan

Takahashi: Chan-san wa Kankoku-go ga wakarimasu ka

Chan

3. **Takahashi: Sasaki-san wa usuki ga suki desu ka**

Sasaki

Takahashi: Sasaki-san wa Chūgoku-go ga wakarimasu ka

Sasaki

D. Ask and answer whether someone is skilled at something.

ex **Takahashi: Katō-san wa gorufu ga jōzu desu ka.**

Nakamura: Hai, jōzu desu.

1. **Takahashi: Sumisu-san wa dansu ga jōzu desu ka.**

Nakamura

2. Takahashi Chan-san wa dansu ga jōzu desu ka.

Nakamura:

3. Takahashi Sasaki-san wa gorufu ga jōzu desu ka.

Nakamura:

 IV *Ask for and provide detailed information about one's likes.* Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses.

ex Chan. Suzuki-san wa supōtsu ga suki desu ka.

Suzuki Hai, suki desu.

Chan: Donna supōtsu ga suki desu ka.

Suzuki: Sakkā ga suki desu.

1. Chan _____ (kudamono)

Suzuki _____

Chan _____ (kudamono)

Suzuki _____ (ringo)

2. Chan _____ (Itaria-ryōr)

Suzuki _____

Chan _____ (Itaria-ryōr)

Suzuki _____ (piza)

3. Chan _____ (ongaku)

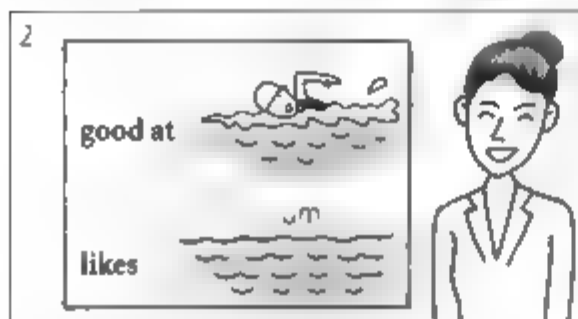
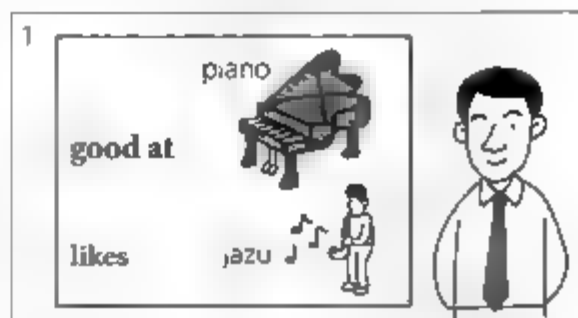
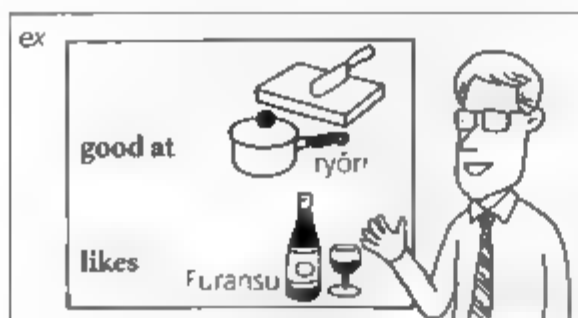
Suzuki _____

Chan _____ (ongaku)

Suzuki _____ (jazu)



V **Introduce a friend and give information about his or her likes.** Complete the dialogues below following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustrations.



ex Takahashi: Chan-san, kochira wa Kāpentā-san desu.

Kāpentā: Hajimemashite. Kāpentā desu. Yoroshiku onegaishimasu.

Takahashi: Kāpentā-san wa ryōri ga jōzu desu. Furansu no wain ga suki desu.

1 Takahashi: Chan-san, kochira wa Ochiai-san desu.

Ochiai: Hajimemashite. Ochiai desu. Yoroshiku onegaishimasu.

Takahashi:

2 Takahashi: Chan-san, kochira wa Kojima-san desu.

Kojima: Hajimemashite. Kojima desu. Yoroshiku onegaishimasu.

Takahashi:

3 Takahashi: Chan-san, kochira wa Andō-san desu.

Andō: Hajimemashite. Andō desu. Yoroshiku onegaishimasu.

Takahashi:

VOCABULARY

piano

piano

umi

ocean, sea

Kāpentā

Carpenter (surname)

Ochiai

Ochiai (surname)



VI Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined words with the words in parentheses.

A *Talk about a mutual interest.*

ex Gurin: Do-yōbi ni Hakone ni itte gorufu o shimasu.
 Katō: Ii desu ne. Gurin-san wa gorufu ga suki desu ka.
 Gurin: Ee, suki desu. Katō-san wa?
 Katō: Watashi mo suki desu.
 Gurin: Ja, kondo issho ni ikimasen ka.
 Katō: Arigatō gozaimasu. Zehi.

1. Gurin: _____ (Tōkyō Sutajiamu, yakyū, mimasu)

Katō: _____ (yakyū)

Gurin: _____

Katō: _____

Gurin: _____

Katō: _____

2. Gurin: _____ (Ginza, Furansu-ryōri, tabemasu)

Katō: _____ (Furansu-ryōri)

Gurin: _____

Katō: _____

Gurin: _____

Katō: _____

B *Describe someone in detail.*

ex Suzuki: Sasaki-san, achira wa donata desu ka.
 Sasaki: JBP Japan no Ochiai-san desu. Ochiai-san wa Chūgoku ni sunde imashita
kara, Chūgoku-go ga totemo jōzu desu.
 Suzuki: Sō desu ka. Watashi wa raishū kara Chūgoku-go o naraimasu.
 Sasaki: Ja, shōkaishimashō ka.
 Suzuki: Ee, onegaishimasu.

1 Suzuki: _____

Sasaki: _____ (Kāpentā-san, Furansu, Furansu-go)

Suzuki: _____ (Furansu-go)

Sasaki: _____

Suzuki: _____

2. Suzuki.

Sasaki

(Kojima-san, Kankoku, Kankoku-go)

Suzuki:

... (Kankoku-go)

Sasaki:

Suzuki



VI. Listen to the CD and fill in the blank based on the information you hear

Chan-san wa ga jōzu desu

SHORT DIALOGUE



Ms. Nakamura is interested in Mr. Ogawa

Nakamura: Gurin-san, achira wa donata desu ka.

Gurin: A, Ogawa-san desu. Tokidoki issho ni kendō no renshū o shimasu.

Nakamura: Sō desu ka. Sutekina hito desu ne.

Gurin: Shōkaishimashō ka.

Nakamura: Ee, onegaishimasu.

Nakamura: Mr. Green, who is that?

Green: Oh, that's Mr. Ogawa. We sometimes practice kendo together.

Nakamura: Is that so? He's a fine person, isn't he?

Green: Shall I introduce him to you?

Nakamura: Yes, please do.

VOCABULARY

kendō

kendo (a martial art in which the contestants fight with bamboo swords)

renshū o shimasu

practice

sutekina

fine, wonderful, lovely (-na adj.)

Active Communication

Imagine you are at a party. Introduce your friends or colleagues to one another and give details about their interests and skills.



TARGET DIALOGUE

Mrs. Green is serving food to Mr. Smith and Mr. Ogawa. Mr. Smith and Mr. Ogawa are eating Japanese food that Mrs. Green made.

スミス：おいしいですね。

おがわ：ほんとうに、おいしいですね。グリーンさんは、りょうりが
じょうずですね。

グリーン：ありがとうございます。まいしゅう、すいようびに、ぎんざの
クッキングスクールで、にほんりょうりを、なっています。

スミス：わたしも、にほんりょうりを、なりたいです。その
クッキングスクールは、どこに、ありますか。

グリーン：のぞみデパートの、となりに、あります。

■グリーンさんは、まいしゅう、すいようびに、ぎんざの、クッキング
スクールで、にほんりょうりを、なっています。

Sumisu: Oishi desu ne.

Ogawa: Hontô ni oishii desu ne. Gurin-san wa ryôri ga jôzu desu ne.

Gurin: Arigatô gozaimasu. Maishû sui-yôbi ni Ginza no kukkingu-sukûru de Nihon-ryôri o naratte imasu.

Sumisu: Watashi mo Nihon-ryôri o naraitai desu. Sono kukkingu-sukûru wa doko ni arimasu ka.

Gurin: Nozomi Depâtô no tonari ni arimasu.

■Gurin-san wa maishû sui-yôbi ni Ginza no kukkingu-sukûru de Nihon-ryôri o naratte imasu.

Smith: This is delicious, isn't it?

Ogawa: It really is delicious, isn't it? You are a good cook, Mrs. Green.

Green: Thank you. I take lessons in Japanese cuisine at a cooking school in Ginza every Wednesday.

Smith: I'd like to learn Japanese cuisine, too. Where is that cooking school?

Green: It's next door to Nozomi Department Store.

■Mrs. Green takes lessons in Japanese cuisine at a cooking school in Ginza every Wednesday.

クッキングスクール
にほんりょうり
なりたいです
その

kukkingu-sukûru
Nihon-ryôri
naraitai desu
sono

cooking school
Japanese food
want to learn
(see Note 1 below)

1. Sono kukkingu-sukūru

Sono here is in reference to what came up just before in the conversation

PRACTICE

WORD POWER



I. Hobbies



1 jūdō

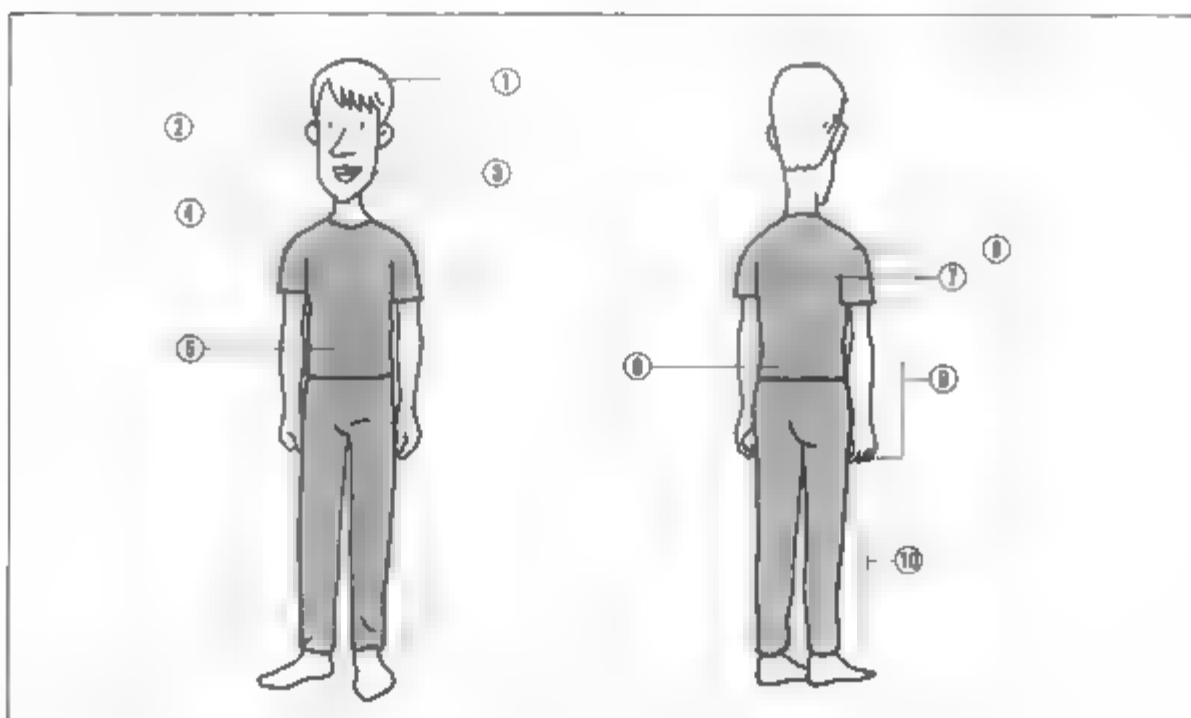


2 ikebana



3 o-cha

II. Parts of the body



1 atama

2 me

3 ha

4 nodo

5 onaka

6 kata

7 senaka

8 koshi

9 te

10 ashi

VOCABULARY

| | | | | | | | |
|---------|---------------------------|-------|----------------|--------|------------|------|-----------|
| jūdō | judo | me | eye | kata | shoulder | ashi | leg, foot |
| ikebana | ikebana, flower arranging | ha | tooth | senaka | back | | |
| o-cha | tea ceremony | nodo | throat | koshi | lower back | | |
| atama | head | onaka | belly, stomach | te | hand, arm | | |

KEY SENTENCES

1. **Watashi wa onsen ni ikitai desu.**
2. **Watashi wa atama ga itai desu.**

- 1 I want to go to a spa.
- 2 I have a headache

EXERCISES



I *Practice conjugating verbs.* Repeat the **-tai** forms of the following verbs until you memorize them

| | PRESENT FORM | | PAST FORM | |
|--------------|----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| | <i>aff</i> | <i>neg.</i> | <i>aff</i> | <i>neg</i> |
| want to earn | naraitai desu | naraitakunai desu | naraitakatta desu | naraitakunakatta desu |
| want to go | ikitai desu | ikitakunai desu | ikitakatta desu | ikitakunakatta desu |



II *State what you want to do.* Change the sentences below as in the examples

- ex **Watashi wa onsen ni ikimasu.** → **Watashi wa onsen ni ikitai desu.**
Watashi wa onsen ni ikimasen. → **Watashi wa onsen ni ikitakunai desu.**
1. **Watashi wa terebi o mimasu.** →
 2. **Watashi wa Takahashi-san ni aimasen.** →
 3. **Watashi wa furui kagu o kaimasu.** →
 4. **Watashi wa jūdō o naraimasen.** →

| | |
|--------------------|------------------|
| ikitai desu | want to go |
| itai desu | be painful, hurt |
| kagu | furniture |



III Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given, being careful to use the correct grammatical form.

A Ask and answer where one wants to live.

ex. A: Shōrai donna tokoro ni sumitai desu ka.

B: Umi no chikaku ni sumitai desu.

1. A:

B: (atatakai tokoro)

2. A:

B: (shizukana machi)

3. A:

B: (Okinawa)

B Ask for information.

ex. A: Nihon-go o naraitai desu. Ii gakkō o shitte imasu ka.

B: Sumimasen, shirimasen.

1. A:

B: (onsen ni ikimasu, tokoro)

2. A:

B: (ikebana o nara masu, kurasu)

3. A:

B: (furui kagu o kaimasu, mise)



IV State which part of your body hurts. Make up sentences following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined word with the words in parentheses.

ex. Watashi wa atama ga itai desu.

1. (ha)

2. (onaka)

V **Tell a doctor one's symptoms.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example and based on the information in the illustration



ex. **isha:** Dō shimashita ka.
Chan: Kibun ga warui desu.

- 1 sha
Chan
- 2 isha
Chan
3. isha
Chan

VI **State what you do every week, and assuming the role of your listener, express envy and your own desire.** Make up dialogues following the pattern of the example. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given. Be sure to use the same grammatical forms as in the example

ex. **A:** Watashi wa maishū Nihon-go o naratte imasu.
B: It desu ne. Watashi mo naraitai desu.

- 1 **A:** (jōgingu o shimasu)
B: (shimasu)
2. **A:** (o-cha o naraimasu)
B: (naraimasu)



VI. Make up dialogues following the patterns of the examples. Substitute the underlined parts with the alternatives given. Be sure to use the same grammatical forms as in the examples.

A. Give information.

ex Takahashi: Nichi-yōbi ni onsen ni ikimashita.
 Sumisu: Ii desu ne. Watashi mo ikitai desu.
 Takahashi: Ii onsen o oshiemasho ka.
 Sumisu: Ee, onegaishimasu.

1 Takahashi: (tenisu o shimasu)
 Sumisu: (shimasu)
 Takahashi: (tenisu-kurabu)
 Sumisu:

2 Takahashi: (Kamakura ni itte, Nihon no furui kagu o kaimasu)
 Sumisu: (kaimasu)
 Takahashi: (mise)
 Sumisu:

B Explain why one did not go to a farewell party for a colleague.

ex Katō: Kinō Howaito-san no sōbetsukai ni ikimashita ka.
 Sumisu: Iie, ikitakatta desu ga, atama ga itakatta desu kara, ikimasendeshita.
 Katō: Sō desu ka. Zannen deshita ne.

1 Katō:
 Sumisu: (ha ga itakatta desu)
 Katō:
 2 Katō:
 Sumisu: (netsu ga arimashita)
 Katō:



VIII Listen to the CD and choose the correct answer based on the information you hear.

What kind of place does Mr. Smith want to live in?

a) shizukana machi b) ōkii machi c) chiisai machi



The party has come to an end.

Ogawa: Nakamura-san, kuruma de kimashita ka.

Nakamura: Iie, densha de kimashita.

Ogawa: Osoi desu kara, watashi no kuruma de kaerimasen ka.

Nakamura: Arigatō gozaimasu.

Ogawa: Sumisu-san mo issho ni ikaga desu ka.

Sumisu: Arigatō gozaimasu. Onegaishimasu.

Ogawa: Ms. Nakamura, did you come by car?

Nakamura: No, I came by train.

Ogawa: It's late, so wouldn't you like to go home in my car?

Nakamura: Thank you.

Ogawa: Mr. Smith, how about going home with us?

Smith: Thank you. I'd like that.

VOCABULARY

osoi desu

be late

Active Communication

- 1 Get information about schools and teachers, or about a subject you want to take lessons in.
- 2 Get information about things you want to buy and places you want to visit

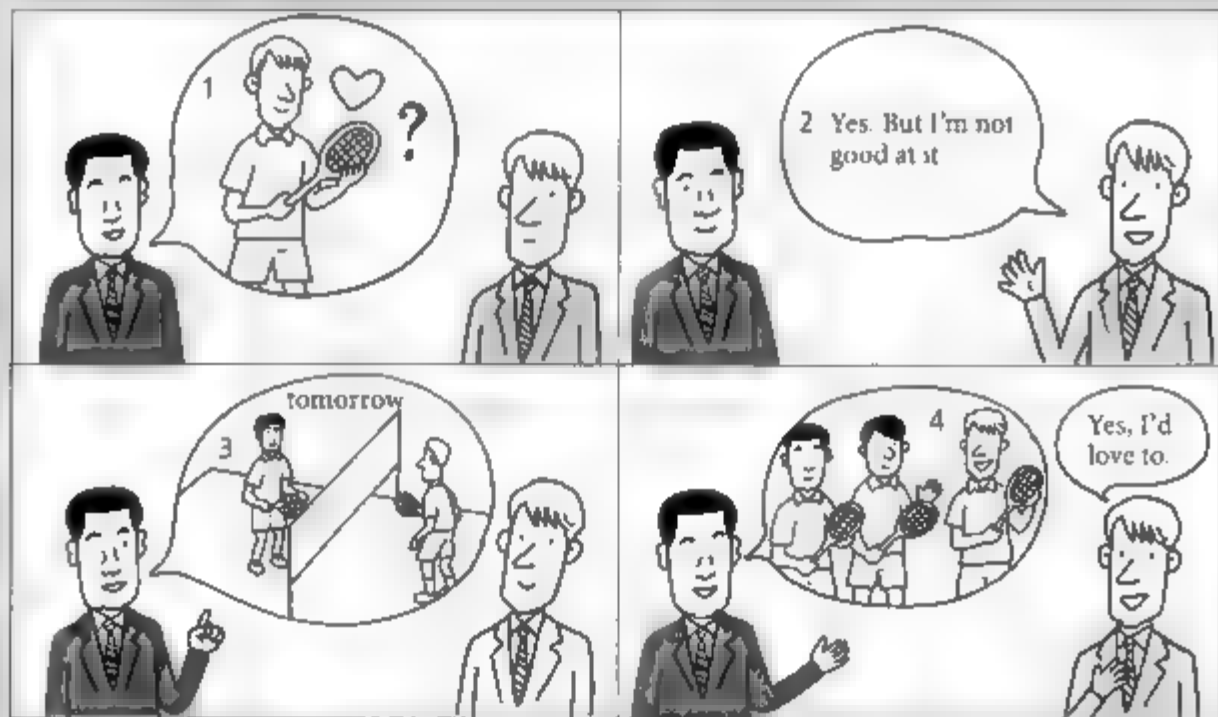
I Fill in the blank in each sentence with the appropriate particle. Where a particle is not needed, write in an X.

- 1 Sumisu-san wa gorufu () jōzu desu
- 2 Takahashi-san no otōsan wa ginkō () tsutomete imasu
- 3 Konsāto no kippu wa doko () utte imashuka
- 4 Dō shimashita ka
Atama () itai desu
- 5 Sumisu-san no okāsan wa Sanfuranshisuko () sunde imasu.

II Choose the word that is appropriate in the context of the sentence

- 1 Sumisu-san wa ima nani o shite imasu ka
Ka g shitsu de Takahashi-san to hanashi o (shimasu / shite imasu)
- 2 Takahashi-san no denwa-bangō o (shinmasu / shitte imasu) ka
ie, (shirimasen / shitte imasen).
- 3 Watashi wa kinō pāti ni (ik tai desu / ikitakatta desu) ga, isogashikatta desu kara kimasen deshita

III Look at the illustrations and complete the dialogue by filling in the blanks with the appropriate forms of the three words given in brackets. (You may use the same word more than once.)



[shimasu, jōzu desu, suki desu]

Takahashi: Sumisu-san wa tenisu ga (1)) ka

Sumisu: Ee, demo amari (2.)

Takahashi: Ashita tomodachi to tenisu o (3)). Sumisu-san mo issho ni (4)) ka.

Sumisu: Ee, zehi

APPENDICES

A. Particles

| Particles | Examples | Unit | Lesson |
|-----------|---|------|--------|
| wa | 1 Watashi wa Sumisu desu. | 1 | 1 |
| | 2 Sumisu-san wa ashita Kyōto ni ikimasu. | 3 | 6 |
| | 3 Nagoya de wa utte kinasen. | 10 | 23 |
| | 4 Konshū no Do-yōbi wa Ogawa-san mo issho ni tenisu o shimasu. | 11 | 24 |
| | 5 "Shokora-shokora" wa Tōkyō no sūpa to kombi de utte imasu. | 10 | 23 |
| no | 1 Nozomi Depāto no Tanaka desu. | 1 | 1 |
| | 2 Watashi no meishi desu. | 1 | 2 |
| | 3 Watashi no desu. | 1 | 2 |
| | 4 Nihon no kuruma desu. | 2 | 5 |
| | 5 Kyōto no shisha ni ikimashita. | 3 | 6 |
| | 6 Tēburu no ue ni hana to shimbun ga arimasu. | 4 | 8 |
| | 7 Raishū no Kin-yōbi ni Nihon ni kimasu. | 3 | 7 |
| | 8 Kaigi no ato de Sapporo-shisha ni ikimasu. | 8 | 17 |
| | 9 Tsugi no shingō o migi ni magatte kudasai. | 8 | 18 |
| | 10 Tomodachi no Hofuman-san ni moraimashita. | 6 | 13 |
| | 11 Watashi no sukina iro desu. | 6 | 13 |
| ka | 1 Sumisu-san wa Amerika-jin desu ka. | 1 | 1 |
| | 2 Bengoshi desu ka, enjinia desu ka. | 1 | 1 |
| | 3 Donata desu ka. | 1 | 2 |
| | 4 Sō desu ka. | 2 | 3 |
| kara | 1 10-ji kara desu. | 2 | 3 |
| | 2 10-ji kara 8-ji made desu. | 2 | 3 |
| | 3 Honkon kara kimashita. | 3 | 6 |
| | 4 Tōkyō kara Nikkō made densha de 1-jikan han kakarimasu. | 9 | 19 |
| | 5 2-kai ni resutoran ga arimasu kara, resutoran de shokujō o shimasen ka. | 7 | 15 |
| made | 1 8-ji made desu. | 2 | 3 |
| | 2 10-ji kara 8-ji made desu. | 2 | 3 |
| | 3 Kaisha made arukimasu. | 9 | 19 |
| | 4 Tōkyō kara Nikkō made densha de 1-jikan han kakarimasu. | 9 | 19 |
| o | 1 Sore o kudasai. | 2 | 4 |
| | 2 Kabuki o mimasu. | 5 | 10 |
| | 3 Benkyō o shimasu. | 5 | 10 |
| | 4 Tsugi no shingō o migi ni magatte kudasai. | 8 | 18 |
| | 5 Sumisu-san wa Shinjuku Eki de densha o orimasu. | 9 | 19 |
| mo | 1 Are mo 3000-en desu. | 2 | 4 |
| | 2 "Shokora-shokora" wa Nagoya de mo utte imasu ka. | 10 | 23 |
| | 3 Sampuru no shashin mo okutte kudasai. | 8 | 18 |
| | 4 Tēburu no ue ni nani mo arimasen. | 4 | 8 |
| de | 1 Hitori de kimasu ka. | 3 | 6 |
| | 2 Takushi de kimashita. | 2 | 7 |
| | 3 Sumisu-san wa kinō resutoran de ban-gohan o tabemashita. | 5 | 10 |
| | 4 Do-yōbi ni Asakusa de o-matsuri ga arimasu. | 7 | 15 |

| | | | |
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| | 5 Sumisu-san wa kinō pāti no ato de takushi de kaerimashita. | 8 | 17 |
| | 6. Katarogu o sugu mēru de okutte kudasai. | 8 | 18 |
| to | 1 Chan-san wa kinō tomodachi to resutoran ni ikimashita. | 3 | 6 |
| | 2. Tēburu no ue ni shimbun <u>to</u> hana ga arimasu. | 4 | 8 |
| ga | 1 Dono densha <u>ga</u> ikimasu ka. | 3 | 6 |
| | 2 1-kai ni ginkō <u>ga</u> arimasu. | 4 | 8 |
| | 3 Sumisu-san wa eigyō-bu ni ikimashita <u>ga</u> , Chan-san wa imasendeshita. | 10 | 22 |
| | 4 Moshimoshi, Chan-desu <u>ga</u> , ohayō gozaimasu. | 8 | 18 |
| ni | 1 Sumisu-san wa ashita ginkō ni/e ikimasu. | 3 | 6 |
| | 2 Hikōki wa 10-ji han ni Sapporo ni tsukimasu. | 9 | 19 |
| | 3 3-gatsu 26-nichi ni Igrisu kara kimashita. | 3 | 7 |
| | 4 Uketsuke ni onna no hito ga imasu. | 4 | 8 |
| | 5 Sumisu-san wa ashita tomodachi ni aimasu. | 5 | 11 |
| | 6 Sumisu-san wa tomodachi ni denwa o shimasu. | 5 | 11 |
| | 7 Chan-san wa Sumisu-san ni hana o moraimashita. | 6 | 13 |
| | 8 Sumisu-san wa ABC Fūzu ni tsutomete imasu. | 10 | 23 |
| | 9 Tanaka-san wa Yokohama ni sunde imasu. | 10 | 23 |
| ya | 1 Kaban no naka ni kagi <u>ya</u> hon ga arimasu. | 4 | 8 |
| ne | 1 Kaigi wa 3-ji kara desu <u>ne</u> . | 3 | 6 |
| yo | 1 Nihon no supa desu <u>yo</u> . | 4 | 8 |
| ... wa ... ga | 1 Sumisu-san wa eiga no kippu <u>ga</u> 2-mai arimasu. | 7 | 16 |
| | 2 Tanaka-san wa kudamono <u>ga</u> suki desu. | 11 | 24 |
| | 3 Watashi wa atama <u>ga</u> itai desu. | 11 | 25 |
| | 4 Watashi wa wain o/ <u>ga</u> nomitai desu. | 11 | 25 |

B. Interrogatives

| Interrogatives | Examples | Unit | Lesson |
|----------------|---|------|--------|
| donata | Kochira wa donata desu ka. | 1 | 1 |
| dare no | Kore wa <u>dare no</u> kasa desu ka. | 1 | 2 |
| dare to | Sumisu-san wa <u>dare to</u> Nozomi Depāto ni ikimasu ka. | 3 | 6 |
| dare ga | Uketsuke ni <u>dare ga</u> imasu ka. | 4 | 8 |
| dare ni | Sumisu-san wa <u>dare ni</u> tegami o kakimasu ka. | 5 | 11 |
| | Dare ni aimashita ka. | 5 | 11* |
| | Dare ni eiga no kippu o moraimashita ka. | 6 | 13 |
| nan | Kore wa nan desu ka. | 1 | 2 |
| nan-ban | Tanaka-san no denwa-bangō wa <u>nan-ban</u> desu ka. | 1 | 2 |
| nan-nin | Ginkō no mae ni otoko no hito ga nan-nin imasu ka. | 4 | 9 |
| nan-ji | Ima <u>nan-ji</u> desu ka. | 2 | 3 |
| nan-yōbi | O-matsuri wa <u>nan-yōbi</u> desu ka. | 2 | 7 |

*This type of sentence does not appear in the lesson's exercises

| | | | |
|-----------|---|------------------------|-------------------------|
| nan-nichi | O-matsuri wa <u>nan-nichi</u> desu ka. | 3 | 7 |
| nan-gatsu | O-matsuri wa <u>nan-gatsu</u> desu ka. | 3 | 7 |
| nan de | Sumisu-san wa <u>nan de</u> Ōsaka ni ikimasu ka. | 3 | 7 |
| nani ga | 1-kai ni <u>nani ga</u> arimasu ka. | 4 | 8 |
| nani o | Shūmatsu ni nani o shimasu ka. | 5 | 10 |
| itsu | Tanjōbi wa <u>itsu</u> desu ka.
Tanaka-san wa <u>itsu</u> Ōsaka-shisha ni ikimasu ka. | 3
3 | 7
6 |
| ikaga | Okashi wa <u>ikaga</u> desu ka. | 5 | 11 |
| ikura | Sore wa <u>ikura</u> desu ka. | 2 | 4 |
| ikutsu | Tēburu no ue ni ringo ga <u>ikutsu</u> arimasu ka. | 4 | 9 |
| doko | Kōban wa <u>doko</u> desu ka. | 4 | 9 |
| doko no | Kore wa <u>doko no</u> pasokon desu ka. | 2 | 5 |
| doko ni | Sumisu-san wa ashita <u>doko ni</u> ikimasu ka.
Sumisu-san wa <u>doko ni</u> imasu ka.
Chūshajō wa <u>doko ni</u> arimasu ka.
Sumisu-san wa <u>doko ni</u> tagami o kakimasu ka.
Sumisu-san wa <u>doko ni</u> sunde imasu ka. | 3
4
4
5
10 | 6
9
9
11
23 |
| doko de | Katō-san wa <u>doko de</u> gorufu o shimashita ka. | 5 | 10 |
| dono | <u>Dono</u> basu ga ikimasu ka. | 3 | 6 |
| dore | Ano T-shatsu wa <u>ikura</u> desu ka. <u>Dore</u> desu ka. | 2 | 5 |
| donna | Nikkō wa <u>donna</u> tokoro desu ka.
Donna supōtsu ga <u>suki</u> desu ka. | 6
11 | 12
24 |
| dō | Kinō no pāti wa <u>dō</u> deshita ka.
Dō shimashita ka. | 6
11 | 14
25 |
| dōshite | <u>Dōshite</u> desu ka. | 8 | 17 |
| donogurai | Tanaka-san wa <u>donogurai</u> Nyūyōku ni imashita ka.
<u>Donogurai</u> kakarimasu ka. | 9
9 | 19
19 |
| dōyatte | Sumisu-san wa <u>dōyatte</u> kaisha ni ikimasu ka. | 9 | 19 |

C. Sentence Patterns

| Sentence Patterns | Examples | Unit | Lesson |
|-------------------|--|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| ... wa . . . desu | 1 (Watashi wa) Sumisu desu.
2 Kore wa Hayashi-san no kasa desu.
3 Shigoto wa 9-ji kara 5-ji made desu.
4 Tanaka-san no uchi wa atarashii desu.
5 Kore wa omoshiroi hon desu. | 1
1
2
6
6 | 1
2
3
12
12 |

| | | | |
|---------------------------|--|----|----|
| wa . ga desu | 1 Tanaka-san wa kudamono ga suki desu. | 11 | 24 |
| | 2 Watashi wa atama ga itai desu. | 11 | 25 |
| -tai desu | 1 Watashi wa onsen ni ikitai desu. | 11 | 25 |
| ni . . . ga arimasu/imasu | 1 1-kai ni ginkō ga arimasu. | 4 | 8 |
| | 2 Uketsuke ni onna no hito ga imasu. | 4 | 8 |
| wa . ni arimasu/imasu | 1 Takushī-noriba wa eki no chikaku ni arimasu. | 4 | 9 |
| | 2 Sumisu-san wa 2-kai ni imasu. | 4 | 9 |
| . . . o kudasai | 1 Sono ringo o futatsu kudasai. | 2 | 5 |
| . ni/e -masu | 1 Sumisu-san wa ashita ginkō ni/e ikimasu. | 3 | 6 |
| . . . de . . o -masu | 1 Sumisu-san wa kinō resutoran de ban-gohan o tabemashita. | 5 | 10 |
| ni o -masu | 1 Chan-san wa yoku okāsan ni tegami o kakimasu. | 5 | 11 |
| | 2 Chan-san wa Sumisu-san ni hana o moraimashita. | 6 | 13 |
| wa ga -masu | 1 Sumisu-san wa eiga no kippu ga 2-mai arimasu. | 7 | 16 |
| | 2 Sumisu-san wa Nihon-go ga wakarimasu. | 11 | 24 |
| de . . ga arimasu | 1 Do-yōbi ni Asakusa de o-matsuri ga arimasu. | 7 | 15 |
| ni -masu | 1 Sumisu-san wa Tōkyō Eki de densha ni norimasu. | 9 | 19 |
| o -masu | 1 Sumisu-san wa Shinjuku Eki de densha o orimasu. | 9 | 19 |
| -masen ka | 1 Shūmatsu ni issho ni eiga o mimasen ka. | 7 | 15 |
| | 2 Nichi-yōbi ni uchi ni kimasen ka. | 7 | 15 |
| -mashō ka | 1 Nani o tabemashō ka. | 7 | 15 |
| | 2 Chizu o kakimashō ka. | 7 | 15 |
| -te, -masu | 1 Sumisu-san wa kinō hon-ya ni itte, jisho o kaimashita. | 8 | 17 |
| -te imasu | 1 Sumisu-san wa ima shimbun o yonde imasu. | 10 | 22 |
| | 2 Tanaka-san wa Yokohama ni sunde imasu. | 10 | 23 |
| | 3 Sumisu-san wa Satō-san o shitte imasu. | 10 | 23 |
| -te kudasai | 1 Mō ichi-do itte kudasai. | 8 | 18 |
| -te mo ii desu ka | 1 Kono pen o tsukatte mo ii desu ka. | 9 | 20 |
| -naide kudasai | 1 Koko wa iriguchi desu kara, kuruma o tomenaide kudasai. | 9 | 21 |

D. Adjectives

included in the following list of adjectives are some (in gray) which do not appear in the text

-I adjectives

| | | | |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------------|
| abunai | dangerous | ai | many, much |
| akarui | bright | oishii | delicious |
| amai | sweet | ōkai | big |
| atarashii | new/fresh | omoi | heavy |
| atatakai | warm | omoshiroi | interesting |
| atsui | hot | osoi | slow, late |

| | | | |
|------------|-------------|------------|---------------------|
| chiisai | small | samui | cold |
| chikai | near | semai | narrow |
| furui | old | shiokarai | salty |
| hayai | fast, early | sukunai | few, a little |
| hikui | low | suppai | sour |
| hiraï | wide | suzushii | cool |
| ii | good, fine | tadashii | correct |
| isogashii | busy | takai | expensive, high |
| itai | painful | tanoshii | pleasant, enjoyable |
| karai | hot, spicy | tôï | far |
| karui | light | tsumaranai | boring |
| kitanai | dirty | tsumetai | cold |
| kurai | dark | wakai | young |
| mijikai | short | warui | bad |
| muzukashii | difficult | yasashii | easy |
| nagai | long | yasui | inexpensive |

-na adjectives

| | | | |
|---------------|---------------|-------------|-------------------------|
| anzenna | safe | kiraina | detestable |
| benrina | convenient | kireina | clean, pretty |
| daijina | important | nigiyakana | lively |
| damena | no good | shinsetsuna | kind |
| fubenna | inconvenient | shitsureina | rude |
| fushinsetsuna | unkind | shizukana | quiet |
| genkina | well, healthy | sukina | favorite, likable |
| hetana | unskillful | sutekina | fine, wonderful, lovely |
| himana | free | teineina | polite |
| iroironai | various | yûmeina | famous |
| jôzuna | skillful | | |

Color Words

Below are words for colors. Those in gray are not introduced in this text.

| | | | |
|---------------------|-------------|--------------|--------|
| akai | red | kuroi | black |
| aoi | blue, green | midoriro no* | green |
| chairoi, chairo no* | brown | murasaki no* | purple |
| kiroi, kiïro no* | yellow | shiroi | white |

*These words are nouns followed by the particle *no*.

E. Verb Conjugation

The conjugations of Japanese verbs fall into the following three categories:

Regular I: Five-vowel conjugation

Regular II: Single-vowel conjugation

Irregular: There are only two irregular verbs, **kimasu** and **shimasu**. See Irregular Verbs, p. 246.

Regular I verbs are conjugated according to the Japanese vowel order: **a, i, u, e, o**. Regular II verbs are based on the vowels **-i** and **-e** only. From the **-nai** form it can be seen whether a verb is Regular I or Regular II. If the vowel preceding **-nai** is **-a**, the verb is Regular I. If it is **-i** or **-e**, the verb is Regular II. The chart below shows the conjugations of the verbs **kakimasu** ("write") and **tabemasu** ("eat").

| | REGULAR I | REGULAR II |
|------------------|-----------|------------|
| -nai form | kaka-nai | tabe-nai |
| -masu form | kaki-masu | tabe-masu |
| dictionary form | kaku | taberu |
| conditional form | kakeba | tabeba |
| potential form | ka-kô | tabeyô |

| | | |
|-----------------|--------------|---------------|
| -te form | aita | tabete |
| -ta form | kaita | tabeta |

Of the seven forms above, this book introduces the **-nai**, **-masu** and **-te** forms, the dictionary, conditional, volitional, and **-ta** forms are discussed in books II and III of this series.

Note that the dictionary form—so called because it is the form listed in dictionaries—can be used at the end of a sentence instead of the **-masu** form. Likewise, the **-nai** form can be used at the end of a sentence instead of **-masen**. However, these forms are less polite than **-masu** and **-masen**.

For reference, the following are the **-masu**, **-te**, **-nai**, dictionary, and **-ta** forms of typical Regular I, Regular , and Irregular verbs. Some of the verbs listed (in gray) are not introduced in this book.

| REGULAR I VERBS | | | | | |
|-----------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|----------------------------|
| -masu | -te | -nai | dictionary | -ta | meaning |
| aimasu | atte | awanai | au | atta | meet |
| arimasu | atte | nai | aru | atta | be, exist, have |
| arukimasu | aruite | arukanai | aruku | aruita | walk |
| azukarimasu | azukatte | azukaranai | azukaru | azukatta | take care of, look after |
| chigaimasu | chigatte | chigawanai | chigau | chigatta | be wrong |
| gambarimasu | gambatte | gambaranai | gambaru | gambatta | do one's best |
| hairimasu | haitte | hairanai | hairu | haitta | enter |
| iimasu | itte | iwanai | iu | itta | say |
| ikimasu | itte | ikanai | iku | itta | go |
| itadakimasu | itadatte | itadakanai | itadaku | itadaita | accept |
| kaerimasu | kaette | kaeranai | kaeru | kaetta | return, go home |
| kaimasu | katte | kawanai | kau | katta | buy |
| kakarimasu | kakatte | kakaranai | kakaru | kakatta | (it) takes |
| kakimasu | kaite | kakanai | kaku | kaita | write |
| kashimasu | kashite | kasanaï | kasu | kashita | lend |
| katsugimasu | katsuide | katsuganai | katsugu | katsuida | carry (on one's shoulders) |
| keshimasu | keshite | kesanai | kesu | keshita | turn off |
| kikimasu | kite | kikanai | kiku | kita | listen (to), ask |
| komimasu | konde | komanai | komu | konda | be crowded |
| machimasu | matte | matanai | matsu | matita | wait |
| magarimasu | magatte | magaranai | magaru | magatta | turn |
| mochimasu | motte | motanai | motsu | motta | have, hold |
| moraimasu | moratte | morawanai | morau | moratta | receive |
| naraimasu | naratte | narawanai | narau | naratta | learn |
| niaimasu | niatte | niawanai | niau | niatta | suit, look good on |
| nomimasu | nonde | nomanai | nomu | nonda | drink |
| norimasu | notte | noranai | noru | notta | ride, get on |
| okimasu | ote | okanai | oku | oita | put, place |
| okurimasu | okutte | okuranai | okuru | okutta | send |
| oshimasu | oshite | osanaï | osu | oshita | push |
| owarimasu | owatte | owaranai | owaru | owatta | finish |
| shinimasu* | shitte | shiranai | shiru | shitte | know |
| suimasu | sutte | suwanai | suu | sutta | smoke (cigarettes) |
| sumimasu | sunde | sumanai | sumu | sunda | live |
| tachimasu | tatte | tatanai | tatsu | tatta | stand up |
| torimasu | totte | toranai | toru | totta | take (a picture) |
| tsukaimasu | tsukatte | tsukawanai | tsukau | tsukatta | use |
| tsukimasu | tsutte | tsukanai | tsuku | tsuita | arrive |

*This form is hardly ever used. Instead, **shitte imasu** (the **-te** form) is used.

| | | | | | |
|-------------|----------|-------------|---------|----------|----------------------|
| tsukurimasu | tsukutte | tsukujranai | tsukuru | tsukutta | make |
| urimasu | utte | uranai | uru | utta | se |
| wakarimasu | wakatte | wakaranai | wakaru | wakatta | understand |
| yobimasu | yonde | yobana- | yobu | yonda | invite, call, summon |
| yomimasu | yonde | yomanai | yomu | yonda | read |

REGULAR II VERBS

| -masu | -te | -nai | dictionary | -ta | meaning |
|------------------|-----------|------------|------------|-----------|-------------|
| agemasu | agete | agenai | ageru | ageta | give |
| akemasu | akete | akenai | akeru | aketa | open |
| demasu | dete | denai | deru | deta | leave |
| imasu | ite | ina- | iru | ita | be |
| iremasu | irete | irenai | ireru | ireta | put in/into |
| mimasu | mite | minai | miru | mita | see |
| misemasu | misete | misenai | miseru | miseta | show |
| orimasu | orite | orinai | oriru | orita | get off |
| oshiemasu | oshiete | oshienai | oshieru | oshieta | tell |
| shimemasu | shimete | shimenai | shimeru | shimeta | close |
| tabemasu | tabete | tabenai | taberu | tabeta | eat |
| todokemasu | todokete | todokenai | todokeru | todoketa | deliver |
| tomemasu | tomete | tomenai | tomeru | tometa | stop, park |
| tsukemasu | tsukete | tsukenai | tsukeru | tsuketa | turn on |
| (ki o) tsukemasu | tsukete | tsukenai | tsukeru | tsuketa | be careful |
| tsutomemasu | tsutomete | tsutomenai | tsutomeru | tsutometa | work for |

IRREGULAR VERBS

| -masu | -te | -nai | dictionary | -ta | meaning |
|------------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------|
| kimasu | kite | konai | ku | kita | come |
| mottekimasu | mottekite | mottekonai | mottekuru | mottekita | bring |
| shimasu | shite | shinai | suru | shita | do |
| shitsureishimasu | shitsureishite | shitsureishinai | shitsureisuru | shitsureishita | be rude |
| shōkaishimasu | shōkaishite | shōkaishinai | shōkaisuru | shōkaishita | introduce |

The verb **shimasu** ("do") follows various nouns, sometimes with and sometimes without the particle **o**, to express a variety of meanings. Below is a sampling of "noun **o shimasu**" combinations. The words in gray are not introduced in this text.

benkyō o shimasu
denwa o shimasu
dorabū o shimasu
gorufu o shimasu
hanashi o shimasu
jōgingu o shimasu
kaigi o shimasu
kaimono o shimasu
kopi o shimasu
pāti o shimasu
renshū o shimasu
ryokō o shimasu

study
 telephone
 go for a drive
 play golf
 talk
 jog
 have a meeting
 shop
 make a copy
 give a party
 practice
 take a trip

sampo o shimasu
setsumei o shimasu
shigoto o shimasu
shokuji o shimasu
shutchō o shimasu
sōbetsukai o shimasu
sōji o shimasu
suki o shimasu
supōtsu o shimasu
tenisu o shimasu
uten o shimasu
yoyaku o shimasu

go for a walk
 explain
 work
 have a meal
 go on a business trip
 give a farewell party
 clean
 ski
 play sports
 play tennis
 drive
 make a reservation

F. Ko-so-a-do Words

| | ko-words | so-words | a-words | do-words |
|---------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|------------------------------------|
| direction | kochira
here, this way | sochira
there, that way | achira
over there | dochira
where |
| people | kochira
this person | sochira
that person | achira
that person over there | donata, dare
who |
| thing | kore
this | sore
that | are
that over there | dore
which |
| place | koko
here | soko
there | asoko
over there | doko
where |
| demonstrative | kono kamera
this camera | sono kamera
that camera | ano kamera
that camera over there | dono kamera
which camera |

G. Countries, Nationalities and Languages

| | Country | Nationality | Language |
|----------------|-------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Australia | Ōsutoraria | Ōsutoraria-jin | Eigo |
| Brazil | Burajiru | Burajiru-jin | Porutogaru-go |
| Canada | Kanada | Kanada-jin | Eigo/Furansu-go |
| China | Chūgoku | Chūgoku-jin | Chūgoku-go |
| Egypt | Ejiputo | Ejiputo-jin | Arabia-go |
| France | Furansu | Furansu-jin | Furansu-go |
| Germany | Doitsu | Doitsu-jin | Doitsu-go |
| Indonesia | Indoneshia | Indoneshia-jin | Indoneshia-go |
| Italy | Italia | Italia-jin | Italia-go |
| Japan | Nihon | Nihon-jin | Nihon-go |
| New Zealand | Nyūjirando | Nyūjirando-jin | Eigo |
| Russia | Roshia | Roshia-jin | Roshia-go |
| Spain | Supain | Supain-jin | Supain-go |
| Switzerland | Suisu | Suisu-jin | Doitsu-go/Furansu-go/Italia-go |
| Thailand | Tai | Tai-jin | Tai-go |
| United Kingdom | Igirisu | Igirisu-jin | Eigo |
| United States | Amerika | Amerika-jin | Eigo |

H. Counters

The abstract numbers **ichi**, **ni**, **san** are given on p. 10 (0–10), p. 23 (10–30; 40, 50, ...) and p. 30 (100, 200, ...). (For an explanation of very large numbers, see Note 2, p. 29.) The **hitotsu**, **futatsu**, **mittsu** system is explained on p. 38 and given in full on p. 39, along with examples of two counters, **-mai** and **-hon**. Below are other counters used in this book.

Floors of a house or building: **-kai**

| | | | | | |
|----------------|-----------|------------------|-----------|-----------------|------------|
| ikkai | 1st floor | go-kai | 5th floor | kyū-kai | 9th floor |
| ni-kai | 2nd floor | rokkai | 6th floor | jukkai | 10th floor |
| san-gai | 3rd floor | nana-kai | 7th floor | jūkkai | 11th floor |
| yon-kai | 4th floor | hachi-kai | 8th floor | jūni-kai | 12th floor |

nan-kai/nan-gai how many floors, which floor

Also: **chika ikkai**, (1st) basement floor (of several), **chika ni-kai**, 2nd basement floor, etc.

Liquid measure (cupful, glassful): **-hai/-bai/-pai**

| | | | | | |
|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------|-----------------|------------|
| ippai | 1 cupful | go-hai | 5 cupfuls | kyū-hai | 9 cupful |
| ni-hai | 2 cupfuls | roppai | 6 cupfuls | juppai | 10 cupfuls |
| sam-bai | 3 cupfuls | nana-hai | 7 cupfuls | jūppai | 11 cupfuls |
| yon-hai | 4 cupfuls | happai | 8 cupfuls | jūni-hai | 12 cupfuls |
| nan-bai | how many cups/glasses | | | | |

People **-nin**

| | | | | | |
|----------------|-----------------|-------------------|----------|-------------------|-----------|
| hitori | 1 person | roku-nin | 6 people | kyū-nin | 9 people |
| futari | 2 people | shichi-nin | 7 people | ku-nin | # |
| san-nin | 3 people | nana-nin | # | jū-nin | 10 people |
| yo-nin | 4 people | hachi-nin | 8 people | jūichi-nin | 11 people |
| go-nin | 5 people | | | jūni-nin | 12 people |
| nan-nin | how many people | | | | |

Times: **-kai, -do**

| | | | |
|------------------------|---------|----------------------------|----------|
| ikkai, ichi-do | once | nana-kai, nana-do | 7 times |
| ni-kai, ni-do | twice | hachi-kai, hachi-do | 8 times |
| san-kai, san-do | 3 times | kyū-kai, kyū-do | 9 times |
| yon-kai, yon-do | 4 times | jukkai, jū-do | 10 times |
| go-kai, go-do | 5 times | jūikkai, jūichi-do | 11 times |
| rokkai, roku-do | 6 times | jūni-kai, jūni-do | 12 times |

nan-kai how many times

nan-do how many times/degrees

NOTE: Generally speaking, **-kai** and **-do** may be used interchangeably

I. Extent, Frequency, Quantity

Extent



ex. **Kono nomimono wa totemo oishii desu.** "This drink is very good."

Kono nomimono wa amari oishikunai desu. "This drink is not very good."

Kono nomimono wa zenzen oishikunai desu. "This drink is not good at all."

Frequency



ex. **Ban-gohan no ato de itsumo terebi o mimasu.** "(I) always watch TV after dinner."

Ban-gohan no ato de yoku terebi o mimasu. "(I) often watch TV after dinner."

Ban-gohan no ato de tokidoki terebi o mimasu. "(I) sometimes watch TV after dinner."

Ban-gohan no ato de tamani terebi o mimasu. "(I) occasionally watch TV after dinner."

Ban-gohan no ato de amari terebi o mimasen. "(I) don't often watch TV after dinner."

Ban-gohan no ato de zenzen terebi o mimasen. "(I) never watch TV after dinner."

100%

takusan

a lot, many

0%

sukoshi

a few, a little

amari . . . -masen

not much/many

zenzen . . . -masen

none at all

ex Uchi no chikaku ni mise ga takusan arimasu. "There are a lot of stores near my house."

Uchi no chikaku ni mise ga sukoshi arimasu. "There are a few stores near my house."

Uchi no chikaku ni mise ga amari arimasen. "There aren't many stores near my house."

Uchi no chikaku ni mise ga zenzen arimasen. "There are no stores near my house."

J. Time Expressions

Every mai-

maisa

every morning

maiban

every evening, every night

mainichi

every day

maishû

every week

maitsuki/maigetsu

every month

mainen/maitoshi

every year

Periods

Minutes. -fun/-pun

ippun (kan)

(for) 1 minute

happun (kan)

(for) 8 minutes

ni-fun (kan)

(for) 2 minutes

hachi-fun (kan)

//

sam-pun (kan)

(for) 3 minutes

kyû-fun (kan)

(for) 9 minutes

yom-pun (kan)

(for) 4 minutes

juppun (kan)

(for) 10 minutes

go-fun (kan)

(for) 5 minutes

jûippun (kan)

(for) 11 minutes

roppun (kan)

(for) 6 minutes

jûni-fun (kan)

(for) 12 minutes

nana-fun (kan)

(for) 7 minutes

nan-pun (kan)

how many minutes

Hours -jikan

ichi-jikan

(for) 1 hour

nana-jikan

(for) 7 hours

ni-jikan

(for) 2 hours

shichi-jikan

//

san-jikan

(for) 3 hours

hachi-jikan

(for) 8 hours

yo-jikan

(for) 4 hours

ku-jikan

(for) 9 hours

go-jikan

(for) 5 hours

jû-jikan

(for) 10 hours

roku-jikan

(for) 6 hours

jûichi-jikan

(for) 11 hours

nan-jikan

how many hours

jûni-jikan

(for) 12 hours

Days. -nichi (kan)

ichi-nichi

(for) 1 day

nanoka (kan)

(for) 7 days

futsuka (kan)

(for) 2 days

yôka (kan)

(for) 8 days

mikka (kan)

(for) 3 days

kokonoka (kan)

(for) 9 days

yokka (kan)

(for) 4 days

tôka (kan)

(for) 10 days

itsuka (kan)

(for) 5 days

jûichi-nichi (kan)

(for) 11 days

muika (kan)

(for) 6 days

jûni-nichi (kan)

(for) 12 days

nan-nichi (kan)

how many days

Weeks -shūkan

| | | | |
|--------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------|
| issshūkan | (for) 1 week | nana-shūkan | (for) 7 weeks |
| ni-shūkan | (for) 2 weeks | hasshūkan | (for) 8 weeks |
| san-shūkan | (for) 3 weeks | kyū-shūkan | (for) 9 weeks |
| yon-shūkan | (for) 4 weeks | jūsshūkan | (for) 10 weeks |
| go-shūkan | (for) 5 weeks | jūsshūkan | (for) 11 weeks |
| roku-shūkan | (for) 6 weeks | jūni-shūkan | (for) 12 weeks |
| nan-shūkan | how many weeks | | |

Months -kagetsu (kan)

| | | | |
|--------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------|
| ikkagetsu (kan) | (for) 1 month | nana-kagetsu (kan) | (for) 7 months |
| ni-kagetsu (kan) | (for) 2 months | hakkagetsu (kan) | (for) 8 months |
| san-kagetsu (kan) | (for) 3 months | kyū-kagetsu (kan) | (for) 9 months |
| yon-kagetsu (kan) | (for) 4 months | jūkkagetsu (kan) | (for) 10 months |
| go-kagetsu (kan) | (for) 5 months | jūikkagetsu (kan) | (for) 11 months |
| rokkagetsu (kan) | (for) 6 months | jūni-kagetsu (kan) | (for) 12 months |
| nan-kagetsu (kan) | how many months | | |

Years -nen (kan)

| | | | |
|-----------------------|----------------|-------------------------|----------------|
| ichi-nen (kan) | (for) 1 year | shichi-nen (kan) | (for) 7 years |
| ni-nen (kan) | (for) 2 years | hachi-nen (kan) | (for) 8 years |
| san-nen (kan) | (for) 3 years | kyū-nen (kan) | (for) 9 years |
| yo-nen (kan) | (for) 4 years | jū-nen (kan) | (for) 10 years |
| go-nen (kan) | (for) 5 years | jūichi-nen (kan) | (for) 11 years |
| roku-nen (kan) | (for) 6 years | jūni-nen (kan) | (for) 12 years |
| nana-nen (kan) | (for) 7 years | | |
| nan-nen (kan) | how many years | | |

NOTE: Except for with **-jikan** and **-shūkan** the suffix **-kan** may be considered optional and need be added only when specificity is called for

Relative Time

| Day | | Month | |
|----------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|---|
| ototoi | day before yesterday | sensengetsu | month before last |
| kinō | yesterday | sengetsu | last month |
| kyō | today | kongetsu | this month |
| ashita | tomorrow | raigetsu | next month |
| asatte | day after tomorrow | saraigetsu | month after next |
| Morning | | Evening | |
| ototoi no asa | morning before last | ototoi no ban/yoru | evening/night before last |
| kinō no asa | yesterday morning | kinō no ban/yoru | yesterday evening/night |
| kesa | this morning | komban | this evening |
| ashita no asa | tomorrow morning | ashita no ban/yoru | tomorrow evening/night |
| asatte no asa | morning of the day after tomorrow | asatte no ban/yoru | evening/night of the day after tomorrow |
| Week | | Year | |
| sensenshū | week before last | ototoshi | year before last |
| senshū | last week | kyonen | last year |
| konshū | this week | kotoshi | this year |
| raishū | next week | rainen | next year |
| saraishū | week after next | sarainen | year after next |

Seasons

| | | | |
|--------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| haru | spring | aki | autumn |
| natsu | summer | fuyu | winter |

ANSWERS TO SELECTED EXERCISES AND QUIZZES

UNIT 1

Lesson 1

V. bengoshi

Lesson 2

- II. A. 1 A. Kore wa hon desu ka. B. Hai, hon desu. 2 A. Kore wa kasa desu ka. B. Hai, kasa desu. 3 A. Kore wa tokei desu ka. B. Hai, tokei desu.
B. 1 B. Iie, kasa dewa arimasen. 2 B. Iie, tokei dewa arimasen. 3 B. Iie, kagi dewa arimasen.
- III. 1 A. Kore wa nan desu ka. B. Kagi desu. 2 A. Kore wa nan desu ka. B. Tokei desu. 3 A. Kore wa nan desu ka. B. Keitai desu.
- IV. 1 Kore wa Nakamura-san no kasa desu. 2 Kore wa Katô-san no tokei desu. 3 Kore wa Sasak -san no kagi desu.
- V. A. 1 A. Kore wa Sumisu-san no hon desu ka. B. Hai, Sumisu-san no desu. 2 A. Kore wa Nakamura-san no kagi desu ka. B. Hai, Nakamura-san no desu. 3 A. Kore wa Chan-san no keitai desu ka. B. Hai, Chan-san no desu.
B. 1 B. Iie, Sasaki-san no dewa arimasen. 2 B. Iie, Chan-san no dewa arimasen. 3 B. Iie, Sumisu-san no dewa arimasen.
C. 1 A. Kore wa dare no hon desu ka. B. Sumisu-san no desu. 2 A. Kore wa dare no kagi desu ka. B. Nakamura-san no desu. 3 A. Kore wa dare no keitai desu ka. B. Chan-san no desu.
- VI. A. 1 Sasak -san no denwa-bangô wa zero-san no san-ni-kyû-hachi no nana-nana-yon-hachi desu. 2 Taishikan no denwa-bangô wa zero-san no san-ni-ni-go no ichi-ichi-ichi-roku desu. 3 Ginkô no denwa-bangô wa zero-san no go-roku-kyû-zero no san-ichi-ichi-ichi desu. 4 Takahashi san no denwa-bangô wa zero-san no san-yon-go-kyû no kyû-roku-ni-zero desu.
B. 1 A. Sasak -san no denwa-bangô wa nan-ban desu ka. B. Zero-san no san-ni-kyû-hachi no nana-nana-yon-hachi desu. 2 A. Taishikan no denwa-bangô wa nan-ban desu ka. B. Zero-san no san-ni-ni-go no ichi-ichi-ichi-roku desu. 3 A. Ginkô no denwa-bangô wa nan-ban desu ka. B. Zero-san no go-roku-kyû-zero no san-ichi-ichi-ichi desu. 4 A. Takahashi-san no denwa-bangô wa nan-ban desu ka. B. Zero-san no san-yon-go-kyû no kyû-roku-ni-zero desu.
- VIII. Zero-san no san-yon-go-kyû no kyû-roku-roku-zero

UNIT 2

Lesson 3

- I. 1. 4-ji 2. 9-ji 3. 7-ji 15-fun 4. 10-ji 20-pun 5. 6-ji han
- II. 1 A. Ima nan-ji desu ka. B. 4-ji desu. 2 A. Ima nan-ji desu ka. B. 9-ji desu. 3 A. Ima nan-ji desu ka. B. 7-ji 15-fun desu. 4. A. Ima nan-ji desu ka. B. 10-ji 20-pun desu. 5. A. Ima nan-ji desu ka. B. 6-ji han desu.
- VI. 7-ji han

Lesson 4

- I. 1. hachijû-en 2. hyaku-en 3. hyaku-nijû-en 4. sambyaku-en 5. happyaku-rokujû-en 6. sen-nihyaku-en 7. sanzen-en 8. yonsen-happyaku-en 9. ichiman-nanasen-en 10. samman-kyusen-en
- IV. 1 A. Sore wa ikura desu ka. 2 A. Are wa ikura desu ka. 3 A. Kore wa ikura desu ka. 4 A. Sore wa ikura desu ka. 5. A. Are wa ikura desu ka.
- IX. 38,000

Lesson 5

- II. 1 A. Sono kuroi kamera wa ikura desu ka. B. 20,000-en desu. 2 A. Kono aoi kamera wa ikura desu ka. B. 13,000-en desu. 3 A. Ano ôki terebi wa ikura desu ka. B. 80,000-en desu. 4 A. Sono chiisa terebi wa ikura desu ka. B. 30,000-en desu.
- V. 1 Sumisu: Sono biru o 3-bon kudasai. 2 Sumisu: Sono ôki ringo o yottsu kudasai. 3 Sumisu: Sono aoi T-shatsu o 2-mai kudasai. 4. Sumisu: Sono mikan o 2-kuo kudasai.
- VII. 1 b) 2 a)

- I. 1 wa 2. no 3. ka, ka 4. no, no 5. kara, made 6. wa, mo 7. o, X 8. no, no
 II. 1 Dotsu-jin 2 nan 3 Takahashi-san, Dare 4 nan-ban 5. nan-ji, nan-ji 6 ikura 7 doko

UNIT 3

Lesson 6

- VIII. 1 Sumisu-san wa raishū Sasaki-san to Ōsaka-shisha ni ikimasu. 2 Sumisu-san wa ashita dare to Honkon ni ikimasu ka. 3 Sumisu-san wa asatte uchi ni kaerimasu. 4 Sumisu-san wa kinō tomodachi to Ginza no depāto ni ikimashita. 5 Sumisu-san wa sengetsu Suzuki-san to doko ni ikimashita ka.
 X. tomodachi, depāto

Lesson 7

- VII. 1 Sumisu-san wa asatte basu de depāto ni ikimasu. 2 Sumisu-san wa 2000-nen ni Takahashi-san to shinkansen de Kyōto ni ikimashita. 3 Sumisu-san wa 7-gatsu 15-nichi ni chikatetsu de taishikan ni ikimasu/ikimashita. 4 Sumisu-san wa ashita aruite tomodachi no uchi ni ikimasu.
 VIII. 1 Sumisu-san wa sui-yōbi ni hitori de hikōki de Ōsaka-shisha ni ikimasu. 2 Sumisu-san wa kin-yōbi no 12-ji ni hisho to resutoran ni kimasu. 4-ji ni Sasaki-san to Yokohama-shisha ni ikimasu. 6-ji ni Amerika Taishikan ni ikimasu. 3 Sumisu-san wa nichi-yōbi no gozen 9-ji ni tomodachi to kōen ni ikimasu. Gogo 7-ji ni Suzuki-san to tomodachi no uchi ni ikimasu.
 X. 1 b) 2. c) [hikōki]

UNIT 4

Lesson 8

- VI. 1 3-gai ni resutoran ga arimasu. 2 1-kai ni otoko no hito ga imasu. 3 4-kai ni nani ga arimasu ka. 4 Chika 1-kai ni dare ga imasu ka. 5 Isu no ue ni kaban ga arimasu. 6 Tēburu no ue ni hana to hon ga arimasu. 7 Beddo no chikaku ni Takahashi-san ga imasu. 8. Reizōko no naka ni nani ga arimasu ka.
 VIII. 1 ginkō 2 yūbinkyoku 3. resutoran

Lesson 9

- V. 1 Chan: Takushī-noriba wa doko ni arimasu ka. 2 Chan. Ginkō wa doko ni arimasu ka. 3 Chan. Kāto wa doko ni arimasu ka. 4 Chan. Kusuri-ya wa doko ni arimasu ka. 5 Chan. Hon-ya wa doko ni arimasu ka. 6 Chan. O-tearai wa doko ni arimasu ka.
 VII. sūpā no tonari

UNIT 5

Lesson 10

- III. A. 1 Sumisu-san wa hon o yomimasu. 2 Sumisu-san wa kōhī o nomimasu. 3 Sumisu-san wa kitte o kaimasu. 4 Sumisu-san wa tenisu o shimasu.
 B. 1 A. Sumisu-san wa nani o yomimasu ka. B. Hon o yomimasu. 2 A. Sumisu-san wa nani o nomimasu ka. B. Kōhī o nomimasu. 3 A. Sumisu-san wa nani o kaimasu ka. B. Kitte o kaimasu. 4 A. Sumisu-san wa nani o shimasu ka. B. Tenisu o shimasu.
 V. A. 1 Sumisu-san wa toshokan de hon o yomimasu. 2 Sumisu-san wa kaisha de shigoto o shimasu. 3 Sumisu-san wa yūbinkyoku de kitte o kaimasu. 4 Sumisu-san wa supōtsu-kurabu de tenisu o shimasu.
 B. 1 A. Sumisu-san wa doko de hon o yomimasu ka. B. Toshokan de yomimasu. 2 A. Sumisu-san wa doko de shigoto o shimasu ka. B. Kaisha de shimasu. 3 A. Sumisu-san wa doko de kitte o kaimasu ka. B. Yūbinkyoku de kaimasu. 4 A. Sumisu-san wa doko de tenisu o shimasu ka. B. Supōtsu-kurabu de shimasu.
 VI. 1 Katō-san wa marasa yasai-jūso o nomimasu. 2 Katō-san wa maiban okusan to jōgingu o shimasu. 3 Katō-san wa marishū supōtsu-kurabu ni ikimasu.
 VIII. 1 ōki o-tera 2 (o-tera no) niwa de

Lesson 11

- III. A. 1 1) Sumisu-san wa tomodachi ni tegami o kakimasu. 2) Sumisu-san wa Nozomi Depāto no shachō ni tegami o kakimasu. 3) Sumisu-san wa Ginza no hōteru ni tegami o kakimasu. 4) Sumisu-san wa Nihon-go no gakkō ni tegami o kakimasu. 2 1) Sumisu-san wa tomodachi ni denwa o shimasu. 2) Sumisu-san wa Nozomi Depāto no shachō ni denwa o shimasu. 3) Sumisu-san wa Ginza no hōteru ni denwa o shimasu. 4) Sumisu-san wa Nihon-go no gakkō ni denwa o shimasu. 3. 1) Sumisu-san wa tomodachi ni mēru o okurimasu. 2)

Sumisu-san wa Nozomi Depâtô no shachô ni mêru o okunimasu. 3) Sumisu-san wa Ginza no hoteru ni mêru o okunimasu. 4) Sumisu-san wa Nihon-go no gakkô ni mêru o okunimasu.

- B. 1) A. Sumisu-san wa dare ni tegami o kakimasu ka. B. Tomodachi ni kakimasu. 2) A. Sumisu-san wa dare ni tegami o kakimasu ka. B. Nozomi Depâtô no shachô ni kakimasu. 3) A. Sumisu-san wa doko ni tegami o kakimasu ka. B. Ginza no hoteru ni kakimasu. 4) A. Sumisu-san wa doko ni tegami o kakimasu ka. B. Nihon-go no gakkô ni kakimasu. 2) 1) A. Sumisu-san wa dare ni denwa o shimasu ka. B. Tomodachi ni shimasu. 2) A. Sumisu-san wa dare ni denwa o shimasu ka. B. Nozomi Depâtô no shachô ni shimasu. 3) A. Sumisu-san wa doko ni denwa o shimasu ka. B. Ginza no hoteru ni shimasu. 4) A. Sumisu-san wa doko ni denwa o shimasu ka. B. Nihon-go no gakkô ni shimasu. 3) 1) A. Sumisu-san wa dare ni mêru o okunimasu ka. B. Tomodachi ni okunimasu. 2) A. Sumisu-san wa dare ni mêru o okunimasu ka. B. Nozomi Depâtô no shachô ni okunimasu. 3) A. Sumisu-san wa doko ni mêru o okunimasu ka. B. Ginza no hoteru ni okunimasu. 4) A. Sumisu-san wa doko ni mêru o okunimasu ka. B. Nihon-go no gakkô ni okunimasu.

- IV. 1. Sumisu-san wa ka-yôbi no 10-ji ni Nozomi Depâtô de Takahashi-san ni aimasu. 2. Sumisu-san wa sui-yôbi no 7-ji ni Resutoran Rôma de Sasaki-san no go-shujin ni aimasu. 3. Sumisu-san wa moku-yôbi no 11-ji ni Sapporo-shisha de shisha no hito ni aimasu. 4. Sumisu-san wa kin-yôbi no 6-ji han o hoteru no robi de Nakamura-san ni aimasu.

- V. 1. Hai, tokidoki tabemasu. 2. Iie, aman shimasen. 3. Iie, zenzen mimasen.

- VII. 1. Sumisu: Wain o 1-pon onegaishimasu. mise no hito: Hai. 2. Sumisu: Sarada o futatsu onegaishimasu. mise no hito: Hai. 3. Sumisu: Asu-kurimu o yottsu onegaishimasu. mise no hito: Hai.

- IX. mêru o okun(masu)

QUIZ 2 UNITS 3-5

- I. 1. ya 2. ni, to 3. ga, ga 4. wa, ni, no 5. to, ni 6. ni 7. de, o 8. de ni 9. X, de, o 10. X, ni 11. kara
II. 1. dare 2. doko 3. nani 4. ikutsu 5. nan-nin 6. itsu 7. Dare 8. doko 9. nan-ji 10. itsu 11. nani, dare
III. 1. aimasu. 2. aimasen. 3. ikimasen. 4. mimasu, mimasen. 5. yoku

UNIT 6

Lesson 12

- IV. 1. Kore wa atarashi kuruma desu. 2. Kore wa furui biru desu. 3. Kore wa takai sêtâ desu. 4. Kore wa amai kêki desu. 5. Kore wa oishi ringo desu.
VIII. 1. Sumisu-san wa senshû shizukana resutoran de shokuji o shimashita. 2. Sumisu-san wa senshû kireina resutoran de shokuji o shimashita.
X. 1. Sumisu: (a) Eki kara chikai desu ne. (b) Benri desu ne. 2. Sumisu: Omoshiroi e desu ne. 3. Sumisu: Totemo furui tokei desu ne. 4. Sumisu: Kireina hana desu ne.
XII. kireina

Lesson 13

- III. A. 1. A. Sumisu-san wa dare ni tokei o agemashita ka. B. Suzuki-san ni agemashita. 2. A. Sumisu-san wa dare ni Kyôto no o-miyage o agemashita ka. B. Nakamura-san ni agemashita.
B. 1. A. Suzuki-san wa dare ni tokei o moraimashita ka. B. Sumisu-san ni moraimashita. 2. A. Nakamura-san wa dare ni Kyôto no o-miyage o moraimashita ka. B. Sumisu-san ni moraimashita.
C. 1. A. Sumisu-san wa Suzuki-san ni nani o agemashita ka. B. Tokei o agemashita. 2. A. Sumisu-san wa Nakamura-san ni nani o agemashita ka. B. Kyôto no o-miyage o agemashita.
IV. A. 1. Chan-san wa Kurumasu ni Suzuki-san ni dejikame o agemashita. Suzuki-san wa Kurumasu ni Chan-san ni dejikame o moraimashita. 2. Suzuki-san wa Barentaindê ni Chan-san ni kireina sukâfu o agemashita. Chan-san wa Barentaindê ni Suzuki-san ni kireina sukâfu o moraimashita.
B. 1. A. Chan-san wa Kurumasu ni Suzuki-san ni nani o agemashita ka. B. Dejikame o agemashita. 2. A. Suzuki-san wa Barentaindê ni Chan-san ni nani o agemashita ka. B. Kireina sukâfu o agemashita.
C. 1. A. Chan-san wa Kurumasu ni dare ni dejikame o agemashita ka. B. Suzuki-san ni agemashita. 2. A. Suzuki-san wa Barentaindê ni dare ni kireina sukâfu o agemashita ka. B. Chan-san ni agemashita.
D. 1. A. Chan-san wa itsu Suzuki-san ni dejikame o agemashita ka. B. Kurumasu ni agemashita. 2. A. Suzuki-san wa itsu Chan-san ni kireina sukâfu o agemashita ka. B. Barentaindê ni agemashita.
E. 3. A. Chan-san wa tanjôbi ni Suzuki-san ni nani o moraimashita ka. B. Hanataba o moraimashita. 4. A. Suzuki-san wa tanjôbi ni Chan-san ni nani o moraimashita ka. B. Sêtâ o moraimashita.
F. 3. A. Chan-san wa tanjôbi ni dare ni hanataba o moraimashita ka. B. Suzuki-san ni moraimashita. 4. A. Suzuki-san wa tanjôbi ni dare ni sêtâ o moraimashita ka. B. Chan-san ni moraimashita.

- G 3 A. Chan-san wa itsu Suzuki-san ni hanataba o moraimashita ka. B. Tanjōbi ni moraimashita. 4 A. Suzuki-san wa itsu Chan-san ni sētā o moraimashita ka. B. Tanjōbi ni moraimashita.
- VI. Nihon-go no hon o moraimashita.

Lesson 14

- III. A. 1 Nakamura: Kinō no pāti no nyōri wa oishikatta desu ka. Chan: Hai, oishikatta desu. Sumisu: Iie, oishikunakatta desu. 2 Nakamura: Kinō no o-matsuri wa nigiyaka deshita ka. Chan: Hai, nigiyaka deshita. Sumisu: Iie, nigiyaka dewa arimasendeshita.
- B. 1 Katō: Kinō no konsāto wa dō deshita ka. Chan: Totemo yokatta desu. Sumisu: Amari yokunakatta desu. 2 Katō: Kinō no bāgen-sēru wa dō deshita ka. Chan: Totemo yasukatta desu. Sumisu: Amari yasukunakatta desu.
- V. nichi-yōbi, nigiyaka deshita.

UNIT 7

Lesson 15

- I. 1 Kōhi o nomimasen ka. 2 Gorufu o shimasen ka.
- II. A. 1 A. Shumatsu ni isshe ni Ginza ni ikimasen ka. B. Ee, ikimashō. 2 A. Shumatsu ni isshe ni shokuji o shimasen ka. B. Ee, shimashō. 3 A. Shumatsu ni isshe ni sumō o mimasen ka. B. Ee, mimashō. 4 A. Shumatsu ni isshe ni hiru-gohan o tabemasen ka. B. Ee, tabemashō.
- B. 1 A. Shumatsu ni isshe ni Ginza ni ikimasen ka. B. Zannen desu ga, tsugō ga warui desu. 2 A. Shumatsu ni isshe ni shokuji o shimasen ka. B. Zannen desu ga, tsugō ga warui desu. 3 A. Shumatsu ni isshe ni sumō o mimasen ka. B. Zannen desu ga, tsugō ga warui desu. 4 A. Shumatsu ni isshe ni hiru-gohan o tabemasen ka. B. Zannen desu ga, tsugō ga warui desu.
- IV. A. 1 Raigetsu Sapporo de yuki-matsuri ga arimasu. 2 Ashita taishikan de pāti ga arimasu. 3 Kayō-bi ni Yokohama de sakkā no shiai ga arimasu.
- B. 1 A. Raigetsu Sapporo de yuki-matsuri ga arimasu. Isshe ni ikimasen ka. B. Ii desu ne. Ikimashō. 2 A. Ashita taishikan de pāti ga arimasu. Isshe ni ikimasen ka. B. Ii desu ne. Ikimashō. 3 A. Kayō-bi ni Yokohama de sakkā no shiai ga arimasu. Isshe ni ikimasen ka. B. Ii desu ne. Ikimashō.
- VI. 1 Suzuki: Do-yōbi ni isshe ni shokuji o shimasen ka. 2 Chan: Ee, shimashō. 3 Suzuki: Nani o tabemashō ka. 4 Chan: O-sushi wa dō desu ka. 5 Suzuki: Ii desu ne. 6 Suzuki: Nani-ji ni aimashō ka. 7 Chan: 6-ji ni aimasen ka. 8. Suzuki: Hai, sō shimashō.
- VII. densha, nichi-yōbi

Lesson 16

- I. 1 Chizu o kakimashō ka. 2 Kono hon o kashimashō ka.
- II. 1 Sumisu: Doa o akemashō ka. Nakamura: Ee, onegaishimasu. 2 Sumisu: Shashin o torimashō ka. Suzuki: Iie, kekkō desu. 3 Sumisu: Mado o shimemashō ka. Nakamura: Ee, onegaishimasu. 4 Sumisu: Eakon o keshimashō ka. Suzuki: Iie, kekkō desu.
- III. 1 Watashi wa kasa ga arimasu. 2 Watashi wa erga no kippu ga arimasu. 3. Watashi wa Nihon-go no jugyō ga arimasu. 4. Watashi wa yasumi ga arimasu. 5. Watashi wa jikan ga arimasu. 6. Watashi wa kaigi ga arimasu.
- VI. 1 Suzuki: Kopi o shimashō ka. 2 Sumisu: Ee, onegaishimasu. 3. Suzuki: Nan-mai shimashō ka. 4. Sumisu: 3-mai onegaishimasu.
- VII. Suzuki-san ga kakimasu.

QUIZ 3 UNITS 6-7

- I. 1 ni 2 o 3. ga 4. ga 5. ga, X
- II. 1 donna 2 dare 3. dō 4. doko
- III. 1 kirena 2 oishi 3. shizuka dewa arimasen 4. nigiyaka deshita 5. omoshirokunakatta desu
- IV. 1 mimasen ka, aimashō ka 2. tsukemashō ka, akemashō ka

UNIT 8

Lesson 17

- III. 1 Denk. o tsukete, doa o shimemasu. 2 Denwa-bangō o krite, denwa o shimasu. 3 Uchi de hon o yonde, repōto o kakimasu.

- IV. 1 A. Ashita nani o shimasu ka. B. Ginza de kaimono o shite, eiga o mimasu. 2 A. Ashita nani o shimasu ka. B. Resutoran de hiru-gohan o tabete, bijutsukan ni ikimasu.
- V. 1 Sumisu-san ni atte, issho ni tenisu o shimashita. 2 Doa o akete, denki o tsukemashō ka.
- VI. 1 A. Kinō nani o shimashita ka. B. Roppongi ni itte, shokuji o shimashita. 2 A. Kinō nani o shimashita ka. B. Tomodachi ni atte, issho ni sumō o mimashita.
- VIII. 1 A. Kinō shigoto no ato de nani o shimashita ka. B. Tomodachi ni atte, issho ni eiga o mimashita. 2 A. Kinō shigoto no ato de nani o shimashita ka. B. Depāto ni itte, kaimono o shimashita. 3 A. Kinō shigoto no ato de nani o shimashita ka. B. Bā de wain o nonde, takushī de uchi ni kaerimashita.
- IX. 1 Sumisu-san wa kin-yōbi ni Kōbe ni itte, gorufu o shimasu. Gorufu no ato de tomodachi no uchi ni ikimasu. 2 Sumisu-san wa doyō-bi ni Kyōto ni itte, Yamamoto-san to shokuji o shimasu. Shokuji no ato de furui o-tera ya niwa o mimasu.
- XI. a) [terebi]

Lesson 18

- II. 1 Chotto matte kudasai. 2 Shashin o totte kudasai. 3 Mō ichi-do itte kudasai. 4 Pen o kashite kudasai. 5 Piza o todokete kudasai.
- III. A. 1 A. Sumimasen. Mēru-adoresu o kaite kudasai. B. Hai. 2 A. Sumimasen. Menyū o misete kudasai. B. Hai. 3 A. Sumimasen. Kaigi no shiryō o mottekite kudasai. B. Hai.
- V. 1 Tsugi no shingō o hidari ni magatte kudasai. 2 Futatsu-me no kado o migi ni magatte kudasai. 3 Massugu tte kudasai. 4. Depāto no temae de tomete kudasai.
- VII. Takahashi-san, fakkusu.

UNIT 9

Lesson 19

- III. A. 1 Takahashi (Chan-san wa) dōyatte kaisha ni ikimasu ka. Chan. Azabu de basu ni notte, Tōkyō Eki de orimasu. Tōkyō Eki kara kaisha made arukimasu. 2 Takahashi (Suzuki-san wa) dōyatte kaisha ni ikimasu ka. Suzuki. Yokohama Eki de densha ni notte, Tōkyō Eki de orimasu. Tōkyō Eki kara kaisha made arukimasu.
- B. 1 Chan. 8-ji ni demasu. 8-ji 20-pun ni tsukimasu. 2 Suzuki. 7-ji ni demasu. 8-ji ni tsukimasu.
- V. 1 Sumisu. Tōkyō kara Nikkō made donogurai kakanimasu ka. Nakamura. Densha de 1-jikan han kakarimasu. 2 Nakamura. Narita Kūkō kara Honkon made donogurai kakanimasu ka. Chan. Hikōki de 5-jikan kakarimasu.
- VIII. 1 Chan. Hikōki wa nan-ji ni Nanta o demasu ka. 2. ryokō-gaisha no hito. 11-ji ni demasu. 3 Chan. Narita kara Honoruru made donogurai kakanimasu ka. 4. ryokō-gaisha no hito. 7-jikan gurai kakanimasu. 5 Chan. Arigatō gozaimasu.
- IX. chikatetsu, 30-pun.

Lesson 20

- II. 1 Mado o akete mo ii desu ka. 2 Kono ryahōn-gaido o tsukatte mo ii desu ka. 3 Kono e no shashin o totte mo ii desu ka. 4 Koko de tabako o sutte mo ii desu ka. 5 Ashita yasunde mo ii desu ka.
- III. 1 Suzuki. O-kyaku-san ni katarogu o misete mo ii desu ka. Katō. Hai, dōzo. 2 Suzuki. O-kyaku-san ni sampuru o okutte mo ii desu ka. Katō. Hai, dōzo. 3 Suzuki. Asatte yasunde mo ii desu ka. Katō. Hai, dōzo.
- IV. 1 Sumisu. O-tera no shashin o totte mo ii desu ka. o-tera no hito. Sumimasen ga, chotto. 2 Sumisu. Niwa ni haitte mo ii desu ka. o-tera no hito. Sumimasen ga, chotto. 3 Sumisu. Koko de o-cha o nonde mo ii desu ka. o-tera no hito. Sumimasen ga, chotto.
- VI. 1 mise no hito. Koko/Kochira ni o-namae to go-jūsho o onegaishimasu. 2 Sumisu. Sumimasen, pen ga arimasen. 3 Sumisu. Kono pen o tsukatte mo ii desu ka. 4. mise no hito. Hai, dōzo. 5 Sumisu. Arigatō.
- VII. 3-ji han, kaigishitsu.

Lesson 21

- III. 1 Shashin o toranaide kudasai. 2 Doa o shimenaide kudasai. 3 Denki o kesanaide kudasai. 4 Kuruma o tomenaide kudasai.
- IV. 1 Koko wa deguchi desu kara, kuruma o tomenaide kudasai. 2 Koko wa mise no mae desu kara, kuruma o tomenaide kudasai. 3 Koko wa chusha-kanshi desu kara, kuruma o tomenaide kudasai.
- VI. kaigishitsu, kaigi.

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- I. 1 ni 2. o, ni 3. de 4. de, o, ni 5. kara, made, de 6. ni, X 7. ni, o, ni, ni 8. wa, kara, o.
- II. 1 nani 2. Itsu 3. Dōyatte 4. donogurai.

- III. 1 kakarai 2 keshimasu 3 nonde 4 toranai 5 shimete 6 akemasu 7 mite 8 konai 9 shimasu
IV. 1 mite 2 katte 3 oshiete 4 magatte, itte 5 moratte 6 tomenaide

UNIT 10

Lesson 22

- III. A. 1 A. Chan-san wa ima nani o shite imasu ka. B. Repôto o kaite imasu. 2 A. Nakamura-san wa ima nani o shite imasu ka. B. Kopi o shite imasu. 3 A. Katô-san wa ima nani o shite imasu ka. B. Kaigishitsu de setsumei o shite imasu. 4 A. Sasaki-san wa ima nani o shite imasu ka. B. O-kyaku-san to hanashi o shite imasu. 5 A. Suzuki-san wa ima nani o shite imasu ka. B. Tabako o sutte imasu. 6 A. Takahashi-san wa ima nani o shite imasu ka. B. 1-kai de erebêta o matte imasu.
B. 7 B. Iie, o-kyaku-san to hanashi o shite imasu. 8 B. Iie, kopi o shite imasu. 9 B. Iie, repôto o kaite imasu.
VII. c) [(Sumisu-san wa) o-kyaku-san to hanashi o shite imasu.]

Lesson 23

- VI. 1 Gurin-san wa Shibuya ni sunde imasu. Soshite, ABC Fûzu ni tsutomete imasu. 2 Nakamura-san no imôtosan wa Sapporo ni sunde imasu. Soshite, ginkô ni tsutomete imasu. 3 Chan-san no onêsan wa Honkon ni sunde imasu. Soshite, depôtô ni tsutomete imasu.
VIII. 1 Sumisu: Resutoran Tôkyô no jusho o shitte imasu ka. Suzuki: Hai, shitte imasu. 2 Sumisu: Sapporo-shisha no fakkusu-bangô o shitte imasu ka. Suzuki: Iie, shinimasen.
XI. 03 no 3944 no 6493 desu.

UNIT 11

Lesson 24

- III. A. 1 Sumisu-san wa biru ga suki desu. Suki ga jôzu desu. Nihon-go ga wakarimasu. 2 Chan-san wa kôhi ga suki desu. Dansu ga jôzu desu. Furansu-go ga wakarimasu. 3 Sasaki-san wa wain ga suki desu. Tenisu ga jôzu desu. Chûgoku-go ga wakarimasu.
B. 1 Sumisu-san wa o-sake ga suki dewa arimasen. Dansu ga jôzu dewa arimasen. Chûgoku-go ga wakarimasen. 2 Chan-san wa biru ga suki dewa arimasen. Suki ga jôzu dewa arimasen. Kankoku-go ga wakarimasen. 3 Sasaki-san wa uisuki ga suki dewa arimasen. Gorufu ga jôzu dewa arimasen. Doitsu-go ga wakarimasen.
C. 1 Sumisu: Hai, suki desu. Sumisu: Hai, wakarimasu. 2 Chan: Hai, suki desu. Chan: Iie, wakarimasen. 3 Sasaki: Iie, suki dewa arimasen. Sasaki: Hai, wakarimasu.
D. 1 Nakamura: Iie, jôzu dewa arimasen. 2 Nakamura: Hai, jôzu desu. 3 Nakamura: Iie, jôzu dewa arimasen.
V. 1 Takahashi: Ochiai-san wa piano ga jôzu desu. Jazu ga suki desu. 2 Takahashi: Kojima-san wa suiei ga jôzu desu. Umi ga suki desu. 3 Takahashi: Andô-san wa e ga jôzu desu. Ukiyoe ga suki desu.
VII. Furansu-go

Lesson 25

- II. 1 Watashi wa terebi o mitai desu. 2 Watashi wa Takahashi-san ni aritakunai desu. 3 Watashi wa furu kagu o kaitai desu. 4 Watashi wa jûdô o naritakunai desu.
V. 1 Isha: Dô shimashita ka. Chan: Netsu ga 38-dô arimasu. 2 Isha: Dô shimashita ka. Chan: Nodô ga itai desu. 3 Isha: Dô shimashita ka. Chan: Koshi ga itai desu.
VI. 1 A. Watashi wa maishu jôgingu o shite imasu. B. Iie desu ne. Watashi mo shitai desu. 2 A. Watashi wa maishu o-cha o naratte imasu. B. Iie desu ne. Watashi mo naritai desu.
VIII. c)

QUIZ 5 UNITS 10-11

- I. 1 ga 2. ni 3. de 4. ga 5. ni
II. 1 shite imasu 2. shitte imasu, shinimasen 3. ikitakatta desu
III. 1 suki desu 2 jôzu dewa arimasen 3. shimasu 4. shimasen

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onna no hito Sumisu-san wa enjinia desu ka

Takahashi: Iie, bengoshi desu

Lesson 2, Exercise VIII

onna no hito Sumimasen. Sumisu-san no denwa-bangô wa nan-ban desu ka.

Takahashi: Zero-san no san-yon-go-kyû no kyû-roku-roku-zero desu

onna no hito: Angatô gozaimasu

UNIT 2

Lesson 3, Exercise VI

Sumisu: Sumimasen. Jimu wa nan-ji kara desu ka.

Furonto: 7-ji han kara desu.

Sumisu: Dômo angatô

Lesson 4, Exercise IX

Sumisu: Are wa bideo kamera desu ka.

mise no hito: Hai.

Sumisu: Ikura desu ka

mise no hito: 38,000-en desu

Lesson 5, Exercise VII

Sumisu: Sumimasen. Ano biru wa doko no desu ka

mise no hito: Amerika no desu

Sumisu: Are wa ikura desu ka.

mise no hito: 300-en desu

Sumisu: Ja, are o 10-pon kudasai

UNIT 3

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Nakamura: Sumisu-san wa asatte doko ni ikimasu ka

Sumisu: Depâtô ni ikimasu

Nakamura: Dare to ikimasu ka

Sumisu: Tomodachi to ikimasu.

Nakamura: Sô desu ka.

Lesson 7, Exercise X

Suzuki: Chan-san wa itsu Ôsaka-shisha ni ikimasu ka

Chan: Moku-yôbi ni ikimasu.

Suzuki: Nan de ikimasu ka.

Chan: Hikôki de ikimasu.

Suzuki: Sô desu ka.

Questions

1 Chan-san wa itsu Ôsaka-shisha ni ikimasu ka.

2 Chan-san wa nande Ôsaka-shisha ni ikimasu ka.

UNIT 4

Lesson 8, Exercise VIII

Ms. Nakamura is talking about her building.

- 1 1-kai ni ginkō ga arimasu.
- 2 2-ka ni yūbinkyoku ga arimasu.
- 3 3-gai ni resutoran ga arimasu.

Lesson 9, Exercise VII

Sumisu: Sumimasen Chūshajō wa doko desu ka.

onna no hito: Sūpā no tonari desu.

Sumisu: Arigatō gozaimasu.

UNIT 5

Lesson 10, Exercise VIII

Chan-san wa dō-yōbi ni tomodachi to densha de Kamakura ni ikimashita. Kamakura de ōku o-tera o mimashita. O-tera no niwa de hiru-gohan o tabemashita.

Lesson 11, Exercise IX

Nakamura: Chan-san wa yoku okāsan ni denwa o shimasu ka.

Chan: Iie, amari shimasen ga, yoku mēru o okunimasu.

UNIT 6

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Nakamura: Ashita tomodachi to Hakone ni ikimasu.

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Nakamura: Kireina tokoro desu yo.

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Question: Sumisu-san wa tanjōbi ni tomodachi ni nani o moraimashita ka.

Lesson 14, Exercise V

Suzuki: Chan-san, nichi-yōbi ni nani o shimashita ka.

Chan: Asakusa de o-matsuri o mimashita.

Suzuki: Dō deshita ka.

Chan: Totemo nigiyaka deshita.

UNIT 7

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Suzuki: Sumisu-san, nichi-yōbi ni issho ni Nikkō ni ikimasen ka.

Sumisu: Ee, ikimashō.

Suzuki: Nan de ikimashō ka.

Sumisu: Densha wa dō desu ka.

Suzuki: Ee, sō shimashō. Ja, nichi-yōbi ni.

Lesson 16, Exercise VII

Sumisu: Suzuki-san, Furansu taishikan wa doko ni arimasu ka.

Suzuki: Hiroo desu. Chizu o kakimashō ka.

Sumisu: Ee, onegaishimasu.

Question: Dare ga chizu o kakimasu ka.

Lesson 17, Exercise XI

Nakamura: Chan-san, shūmatsu ni nani o shimasu ka.

Chan: Do-yōbi ni Shinjuku ni itte, terebi o kaimasu.

Nakamura: Sō desu ka.

Question: Chan-san wa do-yōbi ni nani o kaimasu ka.

Lesson 18, Exercise VII

Katō: Chan-san, Takahashi-san ni kaigi no shiryō o fakkusu de okutte kudasai.

Chan: Hai, wakarimashita.

UNIT 9

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Sumisu: Sumimasen. Kaisha kara Nozomi Depāto made donogurai kakarimasu ka.

Nakamura: Chikatetsu de 30-pun gurai kakarimasu.

Sumisu: Sō desu ka. Arigatō gozaimasu.

Lesson 20, Exercise VII

Sumisu: Sumimasen, 3-ji han kara kaigishitsu o tsukatteremo ii desu ka.

Nakamura: Hai, dōzo.

Sumisu: Arigatō gozaimasu.

Lesson 21, Exercise VI

Katō: Gogo kara kaigi ga arimasu kara, kaigishitsu no eakon o kesanaide kudasai.

Chan: Hai, wakarimashita.

UNIT 10

Lesson 22, Exercise VII

Sasak: Sumisu-san wa doko desu ka.

Chan: Ima 3-gai no kaigishitsu de o-kyaku-san to hanashi o shite imasu.

Sasak: Sō desu ka.

Question: Sumisu-san wa ima nani o shite imasu ka.

Lesson 23, Exercise XI

Sumisu: Sumimasen. Resutoran Rōma no denwa-bangō o shitte imasu ka.

Nakamura: Hai. 03-3944-6493 desu.

Sumisu: Arigatō gozaimasu.

Question: Resutoran Rōma no denwa-bangō wa nan-ban desu ka.

UNIT 11

Lesson 24, Exercise VII

Katō: Raishū Furansu no shisha ni ikimasu.

Sumisu: Hitori de ikimasu ka.

Katō: Iie, Chan-san to ikimasu. Chan-san wa Furansu-go ga jōzu desu kara.

Lesson 25, Exercise VIII

Nakamura: Sumisu-san, shōrai donna tokoro ni sumitai desu ka.

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 juyakka the fourteenth (of the month), 61
 ka: (question-marking particle) 2, 6, 48, 222
 -ka (kan): day(s), 181
 kaban: briefcase, tote bag, 72
 kabin vase, 122
 Kabuki Kabuki, 89
 kado corner, 171
 kado (business) card, 193, (credit) card, 36
 kaenmasu: return, go home, 48, 51, 52,
 160, 162, 163, 178, 197
 -kagetsu month(s), 181
 kagi: key, 11
 kagu: furniture, 234
 -kar floor, story, 71
 kaidan: stairs, 206
 kaigi: meeting, conference, 23
 kaigi o shimasu hold a meeting, 167
 kaigishitsu: conference room, 83
 kaimasu: buy, 88, 91, 92, 160, 163, 178
 kaimono o shimasu: shop, 91
 kaisetsuguchi: ticket gate, 142
 kasha: company, the office, 9
 kakarimasu: take (time), 180, 181
 kakimasu: write, 98, 100, 160, 162, 163,
 178, 197
 Kamakura Kamakura (town), 76
 kanai (my) wife, 99
 kâneshon: carnation, 123
 kany: kanji, Chinese character(s), 226
 Kankoku: South Korea, 41
 Kankoku-go: Korean (language), 226
 Kâpentô: Carpenter (surname), 229
 kappu: cup, 43
 kara: because, 98, 142, from, 22, 61
 karai (desu): hot spicy, 113, 115
 karê: curry, 115
 kasa: umbrella, 11
 kashimashō ka: shall I lend you?, 151,
 kashimasu: lend, 151, 172
 kata: shoulder, 233
 katarogu: catalog, 170, 190
 Kato Kato (surname) xiii
 kâto: Carl, 84
 katsugamasu carry (on one's shoulders), 151

ka-yōbi: Tuesday, 60
kazoku: family, 69
kechappu: ketchup, 199
keitai: cell/mobile phone, 11
kēki: cake, 115
kekko desu: be fine, be all right, 36, no thanks, 112 → *ie*
kekkon: marriage, 128
kekkon-kinenbi: wedding anniversary, 128
kendō: kendo, 231
keshigomu: eraser, 80
keshimasu: turn off, 151, 160, 163, 178, 197
kibun ga waru n desu: I don't feel well, 157
kikimasu: ask, 98, 162, 163; listen (to), 91, 92, 160, 162, 163
kimasu: come, 48, 50, 51, 52, 160, 162, 163, 178, 196, 197; kite *kudasar*: please come, 132
kinenbi: anniversary, 128
kin'en: no smoking, nonsmoking, 197
ki ni shimasu: worry (about), be bothered (by), 200, *ki ni shinai* *kudasar*: don't worry about it, 200
kinō: yesterday, 51
kin-yōbi: Friday, 59, 60
ki o tsukete: take care, 162
kippu: ticket, 124
kirei desu or *kireina*: pretty, clean, 110, 112, 114, 116, 133
kiro: kilogram, 42
kisu: whiting, 98
kitaguchi: north exit, 143
kitte: stamp, 38
ko: child, 81
kōban: police box, 79
Kobayashi: Kobayashi (surname), 218
Kōbe: Kobe (city), 167
kōcha: tea, 90
kochira: this one, 3
kodomo: child, 214
kōen: park, 51
kōhī: coffee, 43, 90
kōhī-kappu: coffee cup, 43
Kojima: Kojima (surname), 218
kōjō: factory, 162
koko: here, 83
kokonoka: the ninth (of the month), 61
kokonotsu: nine, 39
kōkūbin: airmail, 171
komban: this evening, 155
kombini: convenience store, 78
kondo: this coming, 105
kongetsu: this month, 51
kono: this (used before a noun), 20, 39
konsāto: concert, 132
konshū: this week, 51
kopī o shimasu: make a photocopy, 156
kore: this one, 9, 20, *kore wa?*: what about this? 9, 10
kōsaten: intersection, 171
koshi: lower back, 233
kōto: coat, 124
kotoshi: this year, 51
ku: nine, 10
kudamono: fruit, 225
kudasar: please give me, 29, 38
ku-gatsu: September, 61
kukingū-sutōru: cooking school, 232
kūkō: airport, 51
kuni: (my) country, 105
kurabu: (exercise) club, 94; golf club, 155
kurasu: class, 235
kuremasu: give (to me), 110
Kurumasu: Christmas, 126
kuroi (desu): black, 38
kuruma: car, 41, 61
kusuri: medicine, 79
kusuri-ya: drugstore, 79
kyō: today, 51
kyōnen: last year, 51
Kyōto: Kyoto, 52
kyū: nine, 10
kyūjū: ninety, 23
machi: town, 235
machimasu: wait, 160, 171, 172, 178 → *chotto*
mada: not yet, 211
made: to, as far as, 175, until, 22
made ni: by (the time), 174
mado: window, 153
mae: front, before, 72, 171
maganmasu: turn, 170, 172
-mar: (counter for flat objects), 38, 39
maiasa: every morning, 91
maiban: every evening, 91
maimichi: every day, 91
maishū: every week, 91
man: ten thousand, 29
manshon: apartment, condominium, 175
ماشین: machine, 105
massugu: straight ahead, 171
meta: again, 132; *meta ato* *de*: see you later, 210, *meta kondo*: next time, 155
Matsui: Matsui (surname), xii
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Mayumi: Mayumi (female first name), 136
me: eye, 233
-me: (suffix), 173
meishi: business card, 9
menyū: menu, 173
mēpuru-shoppu: maple syrup, 218
mēru: e-mail, 101
mēru-adressu: e-mail address, 10
migi: right, 171
mikan: tangerine, 42
mikka: the third (of the month), 61
mimasu: see, 88, 89, 91, 92, 143, 160, 162, 163, 178, 197
minamiguchi: south exit, 143
miruku: milk, 90
mise: shop, store, restaurant, 28
misemasu: show, 172, 178, 197, *misete kudasar*: please show me, 28
mitsu: three, 39
mizu: (cold) water, 75
mizuumi: lake, 73
mo: also, too, either, 29; (with other particles), 213
mō: already, 207, 211; more, 17
mochimasu: carry, hold, 151
mōfu: blanket, 175
mō ichi-do: one more time, 17, *mō ichi-do onegashimasu*: one more time, please, 17

moku-yōbi: Thursday, 60
momu: peach, 130
moraimashita: received, 122, 124, *mora-masu*: receive, 110, 122, 123, 124
moshi moshi: hello, 49, 50
mōshiwake gozaimasen: I'm sorry to have to tell you this, 213
mō sukoshi: a little more, 211
mottekimasu: bring, 171, 172
muika: the sixth (of the month), 61
musuko, musukosan: son, 214
musume, musumesan: daughter, 214
muitsū: six, 39
muzukashii (desu): difficult, 113, 115
myūjikan: musical, 185

Nagoya: Nagoya (city), 213
naka: inside, middle, 72
Nakamura: Nakamura (surname), xii
nama-biru: draft beer, 105
namae: name, 9
nani: what, 13
nana: seven, 10
nanajū: seventy, 23
nanatsu: seven, 39
nan-ban: what number, 15
nan-bon: how many (long, thin objects), 81
nan de: how, by what means, 80, 83
nan deshō ka: how may I help you?, 176
nan-gatsu: what month, 62
nani: what, 69
nani mo: -masen nothing, 73
nan-ji: what time, 22, *nan-ji goro*: about/ approximately what time, 86
nan-mar: how many (flat objects), 81
nan-nichi: what day (of the month), 62
nan-nin: how many people, 80
nanoka: the seventh (of the month), 61
nan-yōbi: what day (of the week), 62
naraimasu: learn, take lessons in, 230;
naraita desu: want to learn, 232, 234
Narita Kūkō: Nanta Airport, 184
natsu: summer, 62
natsu-yasumi: summer vacation, 62
ne: right?, isn't it?, 50
nekkuresu: necklace, 124
nekutai: necktie, 124
-nen: year, 60
-nen (kan): year(s), 181
netsu: fever, 236
ni: (as object marker), 88, at, on, in, 59, 68; (indicating direction of movement), 48, 58, 180; (indicating giver/receiver), 110; (indicating place), 213; (indicating receiver of an action), 88
ni: two, 10
niemasu: suit, look good on, 129
-nichi: day (of the month), 61
-nichi (kan): day(s), 181
nichi-yōbi: Sunday, 60
ni-gatsu: February, 61
nigiyaka desu or *nigiyakana*: lively, 114, 116, 133
Nihon: Japan, 4
Nihon-go: Japanese (language), 75
Nihon-jin: Japanese (person), 4
Nihon-ryōri: Japanese food, 232
nijū: twenty, 23

nijuyokka: the twenty-fourth (of the month), 61
Nikkō: Nikko (scenic area), 69
nimotsu: luggage, baggage, 153
nimotsu o okurimasu: send luggage, 88
-nin: person, 80
nishiguchi: west exit, 143
niwa: garden, 83
no ato de: after, 162
no mae ni: before, 163
no: (appositive usage), 122, 's, of (indicating belonging or affiliation) 3, 4, 9
nodo: throat, 233
nomimasu: drink, 88, 91, 92, '60, 162, 163, 196, 197
norimasu: get on (a vehicle), 180, 181
Nozomi Depōto: Nozomi Department Store, 3
nyūyōku: New York, 184

o: (indicating object), 88, 110, (indicating point of departure), 180; (indicating point of passage), 171, (replaced by *ga*), 222; (replaced by *wa*), 213
o-cha: green tea, 90; tea ceremony, 233
Ochiar: Ochiar (surname), 229
Odaiba: Odaiba (district), 77
Ogawa: Ogawa (surname), xiii
ohairikudasai: please come in, 59
ohayō gozaimasu: good morning, 49
oshii (desu): delicious, tasty, 98, 113, 115, 133
ojamashimasu: may I come in?, 121
ojōsan: daughter, 214
o-kane: money, 154
o-kanjō: bill, check, 106
okāsan: (another person's) mother, 99
o-kashi: sweets, 112
ōkii (desu): large, big, 38, 110, 113, 114
okimasu: put, 194
Okinawa: Okinawa (islands), 68
okosan: child, 214
oku: one hundred million, 29
okurimasu: send, 98, 100, *okutte kudasai*: please send, 170
okusan: (another person's) wife, 95, 99
o-kyaku-san: customer, client, 191
o-matsuri: festival, 62, 132
o-mikoshi: portable shrine, 151
o-miyage: gift, souvenir, 124
omoshiroi (desu): interesting, 113, 115, 133
onaka: belly, stomach, 233
o-namae: (another person's) name, 96
onegaishimasu: please (get me . . .), 8, 96
onēsan: older sister, 214
ongaku: music, 92
onisan: older brother, 214
onna: female, woman, 22
onna no hito: woman, 22
onna no ko: girl, 81
o-nomimono: beverage, 105
onsen: hot spring (resort), 67, 70
onmasu: get off (a vehicle), 180, 181
Ōsaka: Osaka, 52
Ōsaka-shisha: Osaka (branch) office, 52
ochiemasu: teach, show, tell, 173, 177
osoi (desu): be late, 238
Ōsutoraria: Australia, 4

Ōsutoraria-jin: Australian (person), 4
o-taku: (another person's) house, 131
Otaru: Otaru (city), 167
o-tearai: restroom, lavatory, 71
Ōtemachi: Ōtemachi (district), 182
o-tera: Buddhist temple, 69
otoko: male, man, 73
otoko no hito: man, 73
otoko no ko: boy, 81
otōsan: (another person's) father, 99
otōto, otōtosan: younger brother, 214
otto: (my) husband, 99

-par: cupful, glassful, 112
pan: bread, 79
panfuretto: pamphlet, brochure, 189
pan-ya: bakery, 79
Parr: Paris, 185
pasokon: (personal) computer, 30
pāti: party, 23
pāti o shimasu: have a party, 149
pen: pen, 74
piano: piano, 229
piza: pizza, 172
poketto: pocket, 75
-pun (kan): minute(s), 22, 181
purezento: present, 128
pūru: pool, 26

raigetsu: next month, 51
ramen: next year, 51
raishū: next week, 51
rayo: radio, 30
raketto: racket, 155
rei: zero, 10
reizōko: refrigerator, 72
rekishi: history, 124
renshū o shimasu: practice, 231
repōto: report, 164
resutoran: restaurant, 22
Resutoran Doragon: Restaurant Dragon, 105
Resutoran Rōma: Restaurant Roma, 103
Resutoran Tōkyō: Restaurant Tokyo, 217
Rin: Lin (surname), 5
ringo: apple, 38
robī: lobby, 103, 206
roku: six, 10
roku-gatsu: June, 61
rokyū: sixty, 23
Rōma: Rome, 103
rōmaji: romanized Japanese, 194
Rondon: London, 7
Rondon Ginkō: Bank of London, 7
Roppongi: Roppongi (district), 117
Roppongi Kōsaten: Roppongi Crossing, 175
rūmu-sābisu: room service, 176
ryōkan: traditional Japanese inn, 77
ryokō: trip, travel, 62
ryokō-gaisha: travel agency, 186
ryōri: cooking, cuisine, 105
ryōshūsho: receipt, 106

sā: let me see, 219; *sā, wakarimasen*: I don't know, 219
saiфу: wallet, 74
sakana: fish, 98
saka-ya: liquor store, 79
sake: sake, 90

saki: ahead, 171
sakkā: soccer, 142, 224
Sakura Bijutsukan: Sakura Art Museum, 180
sama: Mr., Mrs., Ms., Miss, 98
sampo o shimasu: go for a walk, 95
sampuru: sample, 170
samui (desu): cold, 113, 115, 133
san: three, 10
-san: Mr., Mrs., Ms., Miss, 3
sandoitchi: sandwich, 90
Sanfuranshisuko: San Francisco, 184
san-gatsu: March, 61
sanjū: thirty, 23
san-nin: three people, 80
Sapporo: Sapporo (city), 103
Sapporo-shisha: Sapporo (branch) office, 103
sarada: salad, 90
Sasaki: Sasaki (surname), xiii
Satō: Sato (surname), 162
satō: sugar, 199
sen: one thousand, 29, 30
-sen: (train) line, 187
senaka: back, 233
sengetsu: last month, 51
sen-man: ten million, 29
sen-oku: one hundred billion, 29
senshū: last week, 51
sero-zēpu: Scotch tape, 80
setā: sweater, 75
setsumer o shimasu: explain, 205, 208, 207, *setsumer o shite imasu*: is/are explaining, 204, 207
shachō: president (of a company), 101
shāpupenshiru: mechanical pencil, 35
shashin: photograph, 151
shī: four, 10
shū: game, match, 142
Shibuya: Shibuya (district), 58
Shibuya Eki: Shibuya Station, 175
shichi: seven, 10
shichi-gatsu: July, 61
shi-gatsu: April, 61
shigoto: work, job, 23
shigoto o shimasu: work, 91
shimasu: do, 89, 92, 143, 160, 162, 163, 178, 196, 97
Shimbashi: Shimbashi (district), 147
Shimbashi Eki: Shimbashi Station, 147
shimbun: newspaper, 11
shimemasu: close, shut, 151, 163, 196, 197
Shinagawa: Shinagawa (district), 216
shingō: traffic signal, 171
Shinjuku: Shinjuku (district), 147
Shinjuku Eki: Shinjuku Station, 147
shinkansen: the Shinkansen, 61
shinsetsu desu or shinsetsuna: kind, helpful, 114, 116
shiroi (desu): white, 175
shiryō: data, information, material, documents, literature, 173
shisha: branch office, 51
shita: bottom, below, under, 72
shitsureishimasu: good-bye, 50
shitte imasu: know, 204, 213, 214
shizuka desu or shizukana: quiet, 114, 116, 133
shō: show, 192

shōhin product, merchandise, 170
 shōkaishimasu: introduce, 230
 Shokora-shokora: Chocoiat-Chocolat
 (fictitious product name), 213
 shokujō o shimasu: have a meal, 114
 shōrai: the future, 235
 shujin: (my) husband, 99
 -shūkan week(s), 181
 shūkurimu cream puff, 44
 shūmatsu weekend, 89
 shutchō business trip, 57
 soba-ya: buckwheat noodle shop, 77
 sō desu: that's right, 9, 10; sō desu ka: I
 see 27
 sochira: there, 49
 sofā sofa, 72
 sōji o shimasu clean, 206, 207
 sono that (used before a noun), 20, 32,
 232–33
 sore that one, 20, 28
 sorekara also, in addition, 170
 sorosoro in just a short while, 129
 sorosoro shitsureishimasu: it's time to be
 going, I'd better get going, 129
 soshite and, 216
 sugu soon, right away, 170
 suru swimming, 224
 (tabako o) sumasu: smoke (a cigarette),
 189, 190, 196
 Suisu Switzerland, 39
 sui-yōbi Wednesday, 80
 sukāfu scarf, 124
 suki desu like, 222, 224, 225
 suki skiing, 224
 sukina: favorite, 122
 sukiyaki sukiyaki, 115
 sumimasen: I'm sorry, 17, 189, excuse me,
 21, sumimasendeshite I'm sorry, 157
 sumimasu: live, 204, 213, 214, sunde
 imasu: live, 204, 213, 214
 Sumisu Smith (surname), xiii
 sumō sumo wrestling, 144
 supa spa, 70
 sūpā supermarket, 22
 supōtsu sport(s), 94
 supōtsu-kurabu gym, exercise club, 94
 sūpu soup, 90
 sushi sushi, 103
 Sushimasa: Sushimasa (fictitious sushi
 bar), 219
 sushi-ya: sushi restaurant, 103
 sutekina fine, wonderful, lovely, 231
 suteki steak, 93
 Suzuki Suzuki (surname), xiii
 tabemasu: eat, 90, 91, 92, 160, 162, 163,
 178, 197, 222
 tachimasu: stand up, 196, 197
 Tai Thailand, 4
 -tai want to, 222, 234
 taihen: very much, extremely, 213
 Tai-jin: Thai (person), 4
 taikai large gathering, 142
 taishikan embassy, 15
 Takahashi: Takahashi (surname), xiii
 takai (desu): expensive, 113, 114
 taki waterfall, 77
 takuhaibin courier service, 171

takusan: a lot, many, much, 81
 takushi taxi, 61
 takushi-noraba taxi stand, 79
 tanyōbi birthday, 62
 tanoshii (desu): fun, enjoyable, 132, 133,
 tanoshikatta (desu): was fun, 132, 133
 taoru towel, 43
 te hand, arm, 233
 tēburu table, 72
 techō date book, small notebook,
 planner, 17
 tegami letter, 99
 tegami o kakomasu write a letter, 88
 tenae: just before, 171
 Temmasa: Temmasa (fictitious restaurant
 name), 96
 tempura tempura, 90
 tempura-ya tempura restaurant, 98
 ten decimal point, 29
 tennis tennis, 224
 tennis o shimasu: play tennis, 91
 tennis-kōro tennis court, 95
 tenki weather, 120
 terebi television, 30
 to and, 70, 73; with, together with, 50
 tō ten, 38, 39
 todokemasu deliver, 171, 172
 tōi (desu) far, 113, 115
 tōka the tenth (of the month), 61
 tokei watch, clock, 11
 tokidoki sometimes, 98
 tokoro place, 118
 Tōkyō Tokyo, 7
 Tōkyō Daigaku: Tokyo University, 7
 Tōkyō Eki: Tokyo Station, 52
 Tōkyō Hōru: Tokyo Hall, 147
 Tōkyō Hōten: Tokyo Hotel, 63
 Tōkyō Sutajamu: Tokyo Stadium, 230
 Tōkyō Tawā: Tokyo Tower, 175
 totemasu stop, park, 170, 172, 196
 tomodachi friend, 51
 tonari next to, 72
 (shashin o) tonimasu: take (a photo-
 graph), 151, 172, 196; tonimasu yo (said
 when you are about to take someone's
 photo), 195, tote mo ii desu ka: may I
 take (a photograph)?, 189
 toshokan library, 94
 totemo very, 112
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 tsuitachi the first (of the month), 61
 tsukaimasu use, 170, 189, 190, 196, tsukawe-
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 tsukemasu turn on, 151, 163
 tsukimasu arrive, 180, 181
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 tsumaranai (desu): boring, tedious, 132, 133
 tsutomemasu: be employed, 204, 214; tsuto-
 mette imasu: be employed, 204, 213, 214
 -tte nan desu ka: what is afan . . . 7, 70
 uchi house, 51
 ue top, above, 72
 usuki whiskey, 226
 uketsuke reception desk, receptionist,
 8, 71

ukiyo: ukiyo (woodblock print), 189
 umu ocean, sea, 229
 untenshu driver, 58
 urimasu sell, 204, 213, 214; utte imasu
 sell, 204, 213, 214
 ushiro back, behind, 72
 wa (indicating question), 10; (instead of
 o), 211, 213, (instead of ga), 58, 68; (topic
 marker), 2, 3; (with other particles), 213
 wain wine, 43
 wakarimashita: understood, 96, wakari-
 masu: understand, 96, 222, 224, 225
 Wan: Wang (surname), 218
 waru (desu) bad, 132, 133
 wasabi wasabi, 197
 watashi I, a
 watashi no mine, 151, my, 9
 watashitachi we, 132
 ya: and, and so on, 70
 -ya: shop, 77
 yakyu baseball, 224
 Yamada Yamada (surname), xiii
 Yamamoto Yamamoto (surname), xiii
 Yamashita Yamashita (surname), 218
 yasar vegetable, 95
 yasai-yūsu vegetable juice, 95
 yasashii (desu) easy, 118, 115
 yasui (desu) inexpensive, 113, 114
 yasumi break, rest, 23
 yasumimasu rest, relax, 157, 190
 yatsu eight, 39
 yo (particle), 70
 -yōbi day (of the week), 60
 yobimasu call, invite, 168
 yōka the eighth (of the month), 61
 yokatta (desu) that's good, 136
 yokka the fourth (of the month), 61
 Yokohama Yokohama (city), 56
 Yokohama-shisha Yokohama (branch)
 office, 56
 Yokosuka-sen Yokosuka Line, 187
 yoku rasshaimashite welcome, 121
 yoku often, 98, well, 129
 yomimasu read, 88, 91, 92, 160, 162, 163,
 178
 yon four, 10
 yōryū forty, 23
 yoroshii (desu): good, all right, 162
 yoroshiku onegaishimasu: pleased to
 meet you, 3, 4
 yottsū four, 39
 yoyaku reservation, 96
 yūbin mail, post, 173
 yūbinkyoku post office, 22
 yubiwa ring, 124
 yuki snow, 142
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 yūmei desu or yūmeina: famous, 114, 116
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 I'm sorry, but it wouldn't be
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 zasshi magazine, 33
 zehi hi all means certainly 140, 140
 zenzen . . . -masen: not at all, 103, 248–49
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Note: Idiomatic expressions have been omitted, as have counters, particles that do not translate into English, certain proper nouns, and some of the words listed in the Appendixes of this book

The following abbreviations are used in this glossary:

- adj. adjective
- n. noun
- v. verb

about (of time) *goro*, 86; (of period, price, amount, etc.) *gurai*, 120
 above *ue*, 72
 add *iremasu*, 197
 address: *go-jūsho*, 174; *jūsho*, 10
 after *no ato de*, 162
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 again *mata*, 132
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